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EXECUTION HALTED TWO MONTHS

EAGER BUYERS CROWD SALE FOR BARGAINS

Syndicates Swing Into Operation at Auction to Make Realty Speculations
Group Seeks to Pick up Sites For Beer Bars, Foreseeing Liquor Change

Charles S. Austin, Englishman, who became the best known real estate auctioneer in the United States through the big sales he has conducted across the continent from Florida and New York to Seattle and Los Angeles, mounted the rostrum at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon in the big tent south of the Crystal Garden and declared open Victoria's unserved sale of forfeited lots.

The first property to go up was the two-story frame house at 629 Bay Street, between Rock Bay Avenue and Government Street.

One hundred and fifty pieces of property altogether will be offered. Among those who were the first of the big crowd to arrive to get close-up seats in the tent were representatives of syndicates who came out to pick up old hotels and other choice locations.

Officers of another big syndicate arrived early at the tent. This syndicate is composed of local real estate speculators, headed by Alfred Carmichael and David Leeming, who have got together a large sum of money with which to buy up properties here. These syndicates are under the control of California, and some Washington money which is seeking openings here for long-pull investments for the next three to ten years.

The sale will be continued Saturday afternoon when the properties will be put up that are not knocked down by Mr. Austin's hammer this afternoon.

Theft is Charged At Farm College

Truro, N.S., Aug. 27.—C. R. Bryan, accountant at the Government experimental farm and agricultural college here, is out on a charge of \$3,000 in the college funds.

POLICE UNRAVELLING MURDER MYSTERY

Mrs. Bessie Loren, Oakland, Cal., Nurse and Divorcee, Was Killed

Oakland, Cal., Aug. 27.—Investigators declared today they were in possession of information they believed would unravel the mystery surrounding the supposed murder of Mrs. Bessie Loren, Oakland nurse and divorcee, wife of whose dismembered body were found in the El Cerrito swamp near Richmond.

Questioning last night of Mrs. Annie Ferguson, mother of the dead woman, virtually convinced the authorities in their belief that an illegal operation had been performed which resulted in Mrs. Loren's death. Mrs. Ferguson furnished the name of a San Francisco business man who was believed to have knowledge of the case, and a San Francisco physician.

Mrs. Loren had been missing since August 19, and was last seen by relatives late that day. She registered at a San Francisco hotel August 17, checked out on the night of August 19. Since then her whereabouts had been a mystery. Several portions of the woman's body were found late last Sunday night in the El Cerrito swamp.

VOICES OF DEAD BY RADIO SOON IN OLD COUNTRY

London, Aug. 27.—Voices of the dead are to be heard throughout Great Britain if plans of the British Broadcasting Company are carried out. Through co-operation with talking machine companies, the voices of Theodore Roosevelt, Adeline Patti, the singer; Sir Bertram Tree, the actor; and other prominent persons whose dead will be transmitted through the ether to be heard by the present generation.

The records have been stored many years and there is some question as to whether they will be satisfactory.

Victim of Accident Now Unconscious Over Hundred Hours

Unconscious for over one hundred hours as a result of a motor accident on Sunday morning in Saanich, Miss Evelyn Maude Phillips still maintains her struggle for life at the Royal Jubilee Hospital. No change in her condition has been noticeable for the past two days. Signs of recovery noted on Tuesday having proven transitory.

Carew Martin Named Returning Officer For Victoria City

Carew Martin, well-known Victoria lawyer, has been appointed returning officer of the constituency for the next Federal election, according to an official announcement made at Ottawa today. Mr. Martin's appointment, it was explained, does not indicate that an early election is planned by the Government as returning officers have been named in other cities from time to time in the last few months. Mr. Martin acted as returning officer at the last Federal election here.

BREWERS BELIEVE TIME NOT OPPORTUNE NOW FOR MOVE TO OPEN UP BEER SALE IN CITY

Interests who are anxious to establish the sale of beer-by-the-glass in Victoria have practically reached the conclusion that it is useless to circulate a beer plebiscite petition at this stage, a leading brewer told The Times today, following a brewers' conference on the matter yesterday.

"It doesn't look to me now as if anything would be done in the matter at this stage," said the brewer, who attended yesterday's discussions.

While it is evident that brewing interests do not look with favor upon the idea of circulating a plebiscite petition here it is believed that interests which are anxious to open beer parlors may go ahead with plans to secure another beer vote. It is known that some hotel proprietors are anxious to open the question immediately as they are confident that a ballot at this time would be favorable to beer sale. So far, however, they have taken no definite action. They have been waiting to see what the brewers would do about the matter.

Sir George Foster to Address Meeting Here Next Wednesday

Rt. Hon. Sir George E. Foster, G.C.M.G., will speak at the First Presbyterian Church at 8:15 next Wednesday under the auspices of the Women's Canadian Club and the Women's Empire Club of Victoria. Senator Foster will talk on "Canada and the Empire." A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend the meeting and to hear the famous orator. While in Victoria, Sir George Foster and Lady Foster, who has accompanied him on his trip to the Pacific Coast, will be the guests of His Honor the Lieut.-Governor and Mrs. Nichol at Government House.

OPPIUM ACT HOLDS PEDLARS IN OAKALLA

Mr. Justice Murphy Dismisses Habeas Corpus Application
Judgment Ends Long Fight For Chinamen's Freedom

Mr. Justice Murphy this morning dismissed the applications for the discharge of the remaining prisoners held for offences under the Opium and Narcotic Act. Twenty-five applications in all were made, and of these three were granted some weeks ago. Last week eleven cases were disposed of and the prisoners detained in custody. The remaining eleven were ordered detained in custody this morning. Of these four were convicted in Victoria, Gao, Samie Shin, Lum and William Dace, an American, all of whom will be deported on serving their sentences. In dealing with these cases, Mr. Justice Murphy held after further argument that the provision of the Criminal Code, which declared that a warrant of commitment should not be objectionable because it did not describe accurately any person or thing was sufficient to overcome the objection that the year "1925" was not added to the title of the act. This same point decided the cases of two other Chinamen, Cheung Chang, convicted at Kelowna, and Wong Kang, convicted at Vernon, all for possession of opium. Five other cases, Lee Jim, Wong Yet, Dong Young Boar, Tong Jung and Chow Chung, all from Vancouver, were also decided and these Chinamen ordered detained in custody and the long fight which has been waged since the beginning of July every week in chambers before Judge Murphy, in which A. D. Macfarlane has appeared for the Crown and Stuart Henderson for the prisoners.

FRANCE CALLED ON TO PAY \$12,500,000 ANNUALLY FOR SIXTY-TWO YEARS

London, Aug. 27.—Considerable surprise, and not altogether pleasure, has been aroused here by the terms of the provisional settlement of the French debt to Great Britain as arranged yesterday between Winston Churchill, Chancellor of the Exchequer, and Joseph P. Caillaux, French Minister of Finance.

"Each of us had to put a little water in our wine," said Mr. Caillaux in discussing the terms of the agreement under which France would pay her debt of \$12,500,000 in sixty-two annual payments of \$12,500,000 each, starting in 1930, if France's negotiations for wiping out her debt to the United States prove satisfactory and if the French Government gives its approval.

While some persons are of the opinion the deal is referred to by Mr. Caillaux would prove good for both countries, there are others who very strongly express the opinion that Great Britain is getting too much of the water and France too much of the wine. The point, however, has not yet been finally mixed and the people here are waiting to see whether the coming Franco-American negotiations will bring about a prohibitory influence on the suggested plan for French debt to Great Britain.

U.S. NEGOTIATIONS

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STABBING AFFRAY

Montreal, Aug. 27.—While Mary Cardona, twenty-five, was entertaining a visiting sailor at her home yesterday, Rayma McQuilada, thirty, is said to have rushed into the house and stabbed the girl with a broad knife as she sat talking to her visitor. The girl was not seriously hurt. McQuilada is under arrest charged with aggravated assault.

IF CONDITIONS WERE AS BAD AS MEIGHEN PAINTS THEM



TROOPS PATROL CITY OF CANTON

Tension Grows Following Killing of Southern Chinese Finance Minister

San Francisco, Aug. 27.—Cables received here from Canton, China, some of them considerably delayed, indicate a tense situation exists in that city following the assassination last week of Liu Chung-Hoi, Finance Minister of the Canton Government. Many officials of the Canton Government, it is reported, are resigning or leaving the city.

The residence of Hu Hon-Min, Civil Governor of Kwangtung Province, in a battle for possession of the city, was surrounded by troops yesterday and all approaches strictly guarded. It was reported Hu contemplated a trip to Peking, but his mission was not known.

Troops also occupied the streets of the city and the populace was anxiously awaiting developments.

Armed forces of rival factions engaged in a battle for possession of Kongmoon, south of Canton, early in the week. A cable dated Canton yesterday says troops of the communistic faction attacked Kongmoon and were repulsed with heavy losses and had returned to Canton.

Cheng Chung-Ming, long a contender with the late Dr. Sun Yat Sen for control of Kwangtung, and Yang Hui-Min, commander of the Yunnanese forces driven out of Canton last month by the Cantonese, are reported in another cable to be watching events from Shanghai in the hope that the split in the Canton party will work to their advantage.

LORD BYNG ON TOUR

Regina, Aug. 27.—For Governor-General Byng, who arrived here yesterday, an itinerary has been arranged for the ensuing four days that will take in a wide circle over the south and southeastern parts of Saskatchewan. At his own request the trip has been arranged so he may not only see the country, but also may inspect the towns en route and see harvesting operations.

University of B.C. Planning Ceremonies At Point Grey

Vancouver, Aug. 27.—Plans for the inauguration ceremonies at the University of British Columbia, marking the setting up of the institution in its Point Grey home and its attainment of the age of ten years, are going forward rapidly under the direction of sub-committees working as parts of a main committee. The ceremonies will be held on the afternoons and evenings of October 15 and 16.

Representatives of practically all the universities within the Empire and of most of the universities of the United States will be present. General Sir Arthur Currie, principal of McGill University, with which the University of British Columbia is affiliated, will come west to give the convocation address on the evening of October 16. That occasion, at which honorary degrees will be conferred on several persons whose names have not yet been announced, will be the outstanding feature of the inauguration.

NEW ADVISER FOR RAILWAY BOARD

Ottawa, Aug. 27.—The Ottawa Citizen this afternoon says: "William P. Hinton, formerly general manager of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, may be appointed an expert adviser of the Railway Commission in traffic affairs, according to reports in circulation here."

MAN ON TRIAL FOR MURDER ENDED HIS LIFE

Los Angeles, Aug. 27.—Dr. Thomas W. Young, dentist on trial for the murder of his wife and the burying of her body in a cistern, killed himself in the county jail here early today.

When county jail employees discovered the dentist's body hanging in his cell, where he had strangled himself with a piece of wire, he had been dead for some time.

The wire used by Dr. Young probably had been smuggled into him, the county jailer said. Permission had been asked several days ago to take a coil of wire into Young's cell ostensibly for use in rigging a radio receiving set, but this was denied. The dentist had twisted the wire about his neck and then turned it tightly with a stick.

Alaskan Killed Wife and Himself

Petersburg, Alaska, Aug. 27.—Investigators of a tale that Thomas Rise killed his wife by pushing her overboard from a gasoline launch near here, and committed suicide by jumping in after her were hunting today for his body. Yesterday the body of the woman was found on a flat which is covered at high tide.

ALBERTA BY-ELECTION

Edmonton, Aug. 27.—The Medicine Hat provincial by-election is likely to be held near the end of September. The Government has not yet fixed the date, but Premier Greenfield expects to make an announcement during the next few days.

PRISONER TRIED TO GET AWAY

Harry Stone Was on Steamer in Vancouver Bound For City of Nanaimo

Vancouver, Aug. 27.—A daring attempt to escape from policemen escorting him from Oakalla Prison to Nanaimo was made here today by Harry Stone, charged with participation in the \$42,000 Royal Bank robbery in Nanaimo last December. Stone was being taken to Nanaimo to stand preliminary hearing this afternoon, and as the steamer pulled away from the wharf here he made a break for liberty.

The constables made quick work in recapturing him, but he put up a determined fight, and was knocked out before being subdued.

He was taken into the engine room of the ship and kept there until he was taken shortly after noon.

TAKEN IN AUTO

After the passengers had disembarked Stone was placed under heavy guard, handcuffed, placed in a closed automobile and taken to the jail.

The attempt and subsequent struggle were witnessed by passengers and created a sensation.

The ship was not more than twelve feet from the wharf side when Stone tried to break away.

Harry Stone, the latest of the suspects to be brought from the United States after extradition in the Nanaimo Bank robbery affair, faced Magistrate Beavor Potts in his preliminary hearing in Nanaimo this afternoon. The proceeding opened at 2:30 p.m. with A. M. Johnson, K.C., appearing for the prosecution. The prisoner was undefended.

Inspector Forbes Cruikshank of the provincial police, left Victoria this morning with Mr. Johnson to attend the case, in which he was largely instrumental in the round-up of seven men now held in connection with the affair. Ross C. Watson, William Bagley, T. Johnson and three others are also held in the same affair. Watson and Stone being the first to be extradited in the case.

GERMANY TO SHARE IN CONFERENCE ON NEW SECURITY PACT

Reply to France States Berlin Government Ready For Negotiations

Paris, Aug. 27.—Ambassador of Germany today handed to Foreign Minister Briand Germany's reply to the French security pact. The reply agrees to continue the negotiations for a security pact, and announces Germany will be represented in the conference to be held in London to consider the question.

STATIST BY GERMANY

Berlin, Aug. 27.—The German Government, in a communique issued after receipt of the French note on the Western European security question, pointed to its repeated assertions that realization of a security pact would be impossible as long as the question of Germany sharing in the colonial mandates was left unsettled.

It also remarked the security negotiations had thus far taken place under the banner of conciliation and that further occupation by the Allies of the Cologne zone, "which is unsettled," would be a serious obstacle.

THREE FIREMEN WERE INJURED

San Antonio, Aug. 27.—Three firemen were injured and damage of \$150,000 was caused when fire today destroyed the plant of the Texas Refining Company here. The firemen were hurt when an explosion blew out one wall of the building and buried them.

Fire Chief J. G. Farman escaped serious injury by leaping from the wall crumbled, bricks showering him after the blast.

NOVEMBER 4 FIXED AS DATE OF BAKER-SOWASH EXECUTION; JUDGE ORDERS POSTPONEMENT

Meanwhile Court of Appeal Will Hear Beryl G. Murderers' Appeal Against Death Sentence; Attorney-General Intervenes to Prevent Execution Before Appeal Can be Heard; Sheriff Ordered Not to Carry Out Sentence Next Month.

Owen "Cannonball" Baker and Harry Sowash, Beryl G. murderers, have been granted a reprieve until November 4, the death sentence was originally set for September 4. Postponement of the execution was ordered by Mr. Justice Murphy, of the Supreme Court, this morning on the application of W. D. Carter, Deputy Attorney-General. Before November 4, the Court of Appeal will hear the two prisoners' appeal against the death sentence of the Assize Court.

Mr. Carter explained today that he had applied for a postponement of the execution date so as to settle all question of the hanging taking place before the prisoners' appeal was heard. The Criminal Code provides that in the case of death sentences and whipping sentences the filing of an appeal automatically causes a postponement of the execution of the sentence. He preferred, however, to have the date of the execution definitely set, he explained. For this reason he asked the Supreme Court today to set a new execution date far enough ahead to permit the Court of Appeal to hear the prisoners' appeal in advance.

The fate of Baker and Sowash had gone through a complicated process of law since their sentence to be hanged. Following their trial here, R. C. Lowe, Baker's counsel, made application to Mr. Justice Morison, the trial judge for a stay of execution. Mr. Justice Morison dismissed this application on the prisoners' appeal. As no further steps apparently were taken to bring the matter before the Court of Appeal, Attorney-General Morrison decided to intervene. He found, however, that it would be impossible for the Appeal Court to consider the matter before the execution, accordingly he instructed Mr. Carter to ask for a postponement of the execution and this was granted today.

JAPAN FLOODS ARE SUBSIDING

Two Deaths Reported; Landslides Struck Electric Car and Passenger Train

Tokio, Aug. 27.—Floods that had caused 40,000 houses here and 1,000 in Yokohama to be partly submerged were subsiding today.

Two deaths resulted when landslides overturned a tram car and derailed a passenger train.

Large areas of the Saitama prefecture were flooded. News of the damage in the outlying districts is delayed by the interrupted communication.

The floods were the result of heavy rains and thunderstorms.

40,000 Houses in Tokio and 1,000 in Yokohama Partly Submerged by Rains

Montreal, Aug. 27.—Montreal was seriously menaced again by fire last night within forty-eight hours of the big conflagration which razed twenty-four buildings in the east end on Monday night. Three alarms sounded last night from different parts of the city, the fires doing damage estimated at \$300,000. The first last Monday did about the same amount of damage, the monetary property loss this week therefore being about \$600,000.

RUSSIAN AIRMEN Sent to Arctic Sea Reported Missing

Archangel, Russia, Aug. 27.—There is great anxiety here as to the fate of the occupants of two hydroaeroplanes attached to the hydrographic expedition sent to Nova Zembla to study the icebergs in the Kara Sea. The two planes, of the Junker type and piloted by M. Tchukhovskiy and M. Kalvits, left Archangel June 18, heading for Kolguevsk. Their arrival there has not been reported, although they should have reached the island in one day. It is supposed the men lost their way in a fog and probably perished.

The authorities have dispatched a searching expedition.

TRAIN ROBBERS' VICTIM DIED

Santa Ana, Cal., Aug. 27.—A bullet wound received last Monday night by Elmer Campbell, sixty-two-year-old express messenger during the holdup between here and Occidente of the combination mail and express car of Santa Fe train No. 75, caused his death here early today.

Campbell had not regained consciousness since he was found lying in a pool of blood when his train reached here Monday night. He apparently had been shot by the robbers.

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Routine Business Engages Cabinet at Meeting in Ottawa

Ottawa, Aug. 27.—The Cabinet adjourned after a brief meeting to-day during which routine business was disposed of.

It is understood the final Government sanction to the completion of

the merger between the Union Bank of Canada and the Royal Bank was given. With this exception the work of the Cabinet was largely the clearing up of accumulated departmental matters.

No date has been set for the next meeting of the Cabinet, but it is probable there will be at least one meeting next week before Premier King, who did not attend to-day, speaks to his constituents at Richmond Hill, North York, Ontario, September 5.

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Bank Clearings Jump up \$350,000

Victoria bank clearings for the week ending to-day total \$1,071,508, according to the totals issued by the Victoria clearing house at noon.

Clearings for the corresponding week last year amounted to \$1,618,347.

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HIGHER SALARIES DRAIN ON TREASURY

No Money Available For Lighting Improvements, School Trustees Told

"It is dishonest to rob Peter to pay Paul," protested Trustee Litchfield last night, when the City School Board showed an adamant face towards proposals advanced by the Buildings and Grounds Committee for installation of electric lights in the Boys' Central School.

Trustee Litchfield was the only member of the committee attending the session of the board, and he objected strenuously to refusal of permission to expend funds within the original budget of the board on school betterment.

SALARIES CAUSE

Objection to the lighting improvement was chiefly voiced by Trustee Beckwith, who pointed out that unexpected increases in salaries have placed the board in the position of cutting other expenditures or exceeding the estimates, an alternative he considered impossible. "It is even possible that we may be compelled to discharge some people," Trustee Beckwith warned, "in stressing the serious condition facing the remainder of the year."

In the absence of Trustees Moresby and Peden, Trustee Litchfield did not press for a vote on the electric lighting extension, although Municipal Inspector George Deane pointed out that, if the work is to be undertaken, it must be completed before the schools reopen.

GERMANY TO SHARE IN SECURITY CONFERENCE

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lawfully occupied," would not be in harmony with that spirit.

DISARMAMENT QUESTION

Germany had done everything to fulfill the Allies' disarmament conditions, the communiques declared, and never in history had the disarmament of a nation been carried out so thoroughly.

In the note to which the German note to-day was a reply, France, speaking for herself and her allies, confined herself to observation and three points: That the treaty of Versailles must not be modified; that Germany should enter the League of Nations, not with reservations as Germany had suggested, but on an equal footing with the other members; and that provision should be made for compulsory arbitration and future disputes between nations.

EXPERTS TO MEET

Word from Berlin last night said the French, British and Belgian Ambassadors had joined in a statement in which the Allies considered it advisable their experts should meet German experts as soon as possible to clear up technical questions and pave the way for a meeting of the Foreign Ministers.

The French note to Germany observed the German Government had drawn attention to "the eventual possibility of concluding agreements under which existing treaties might be adapted to changed circumstances," and that the Germans also "suggest the hypothesis of modification of the conditions of Rhineland occupation."

To both of these suggestions the French, in effect, replied that nothing could be done.

RESPECT FOR TREATIES

The French note pointed out the covenant in its primary grounds on scrupulous respect for treaties which "form the basis of the public law of Europe," and declared France and her allies considered the Versailles "must not be impaired" or modified. "As for Germany," the note asserted that "it is the only solid basis for a mutual agreement and a European agreement."

The Allies took the position that if Germany had any reservations to make about League membership the place to make them would be before the Council of the League after Germany should get in, and not from the outside, "where they would thus assume the character of conditions."

BASIS OF UNDERSTANDING

"So far as they are concerned, the Allied Governments can only adhere to their former statements and repeat that the entry of Germany into the League under the same conditions as are preserved for everybody remains, in their opinion, the basis of any understanding or security."

The reservations which were formulated regarding the scope of arbitration between her and her neighbors would, the French note contended, leave open certain opportunities for war, inasmuch as such treaties would not specifically provide for resort to the permanent arbitration board in cases of a political nature, "which are precisely those most liable to lead to war."

"Our primary object," said the note, "is to render impossible under the conditions formulated in the note of June 16 any fresh resort to force. We feel this object can only be attained by means of some obligatory specific settlement applying to all issues which may arise. Our opinion of the principle of compulsory arbitration thus conceived is an indispensable condition for any pact of the nature proposed by the German Government in its note of February 4."

What is becoming is honorable, and what is honorable is becoming.

—Cicero.

NEW B.C. GAME REGULATIONS FIX OPEN SEASONS; SOME CHANGES AROUND VICTORIA

Game regulations fixing the open season on game throughout British Columbia during the coming Autumn were announced by M. B. Jackson, chairman of the Game Conservation Board, to-day following their approval by the Cabinet. Generally the seasons correspond to those of last year with alterations to meet changing conditions in some districts.

On Vancouver Island considerable alteration has been made to protect quail and other game birds. "Bob White" quail are entirely protected around Victoria and Duncan.

BIG GAME

(a) Moose, males, in Atlin, Fort George, Skeena and Omineca, North of the main line of the Grand Trunk Pacific, open season from Sept. 1 to Dec. 15.

Cariboo and those portions of the Omineca, Skeena and Fort George South of the main line of the Grand Trunk Pacific, in the Eastern district, open season from Sept. 1 to Dec. 15.

In Columbia, except that portion thereof to the West of the Columbia River, open season from Oct. 1 to Oct. 15, both dates inclusive.

Cariboo, males, throughout the Province, except Queen Charlotte Islands and Mackenzie, and except that portion of the Province South and East of the main line of the Canadian National Railway, formerly known as the Canadian Pacific Railway, open season from Sept. 1 to December 15, both dates inclusive.

In that portion of the Province in the Eastern district South and East of the main line of the Canadian National Railway, formerly known as the Canadian Pacific Railway, open season from Sept. 1 to Oct. 15, both dates inclusive.

Mountain sheep, males, in the Province North of the main line of the Grand Trunk Pacific, open season from Sept. 1 to Nov. 15, both dates inclusive.

In Fernie, Cranbrook and Columbia, open season from Oct. 1 to Oct. 15, both dates inclusive.

Cariboo South of the fifty-second parallel of latitude and West of the Fraser River and Lillooet West of the Fraser River, open season from Sept. 1 to November 15, both dates inclusive.

Mountain goat, throughout the Province North of the main line of the Grand Trunk Pacific, open season from Sept. 1 to Oct. 15, both dates inclusive.

Cariboo South of the fifty-second parallel of latitude and West of the Fraser River and Lillooet West of the Fraser River, open season from Sept. 1 to November 15, both dates inclusive.

Throughout the Eastern district, open season from Sept. 15 to June 30, both dates inclusive.

Throughout the Western district, (except Vancouver Island), open season from Sept. 1 to June 15, both dates inclusive.

In Vancouver Island, open season from Nov. 1 to May 31, both dates inclusive.

Provided, that no bear shall be trapped in any part of the Province (a) Deer (Mule, White-tail and Coast), males only, throughout the Northern and Eastern districts (except Vancouver Island), open season from Sept. 1 to November 15, both dates inclusive.

In the Western district, males only (except on Queen Charlotte Islands and the Malahat Highway, in Vancouver Island), open season from Sept. 1 to November 15, both dates inclusive.

In the Eastern district, Vancouver Island, males only, open season from Sept. 1 to Nov. 30, both dates inclusive.

For the purpose of describing the Highland district, the name is hereby defined as follows: "Starting at the junction of the Pelly-Yukon Arm Road and the Malahat Highway; thence south along the Malahat and Island Highway to Atlin Road; thence east along the Atlin Road to Tettis Lake Road; thence north along Tettis Lake Road to Prospect Lake Road; thence along Prospect Lake Road north and east to the Interurban Line of the British Columbia Electric Railway; thence along the said railway to Tod Inlet Road; thence along Tod Inlet Road to Saanich Arm; thence along Saanich Arm to Goldstream Creek; thence following the Goldstream Creek to the Pelly-Yukon Arm Road; thence along the Malahat Highway."

(b) In the Northern district and north of the 53rd parallel of latitude, all fur-bearing animals, open season from Nov. 15 to April 30, both dates inclusive.

In the Eastern district, south of the 53rd parallel of latitude and north of the main line of the Canadian Pacific Railway, all fur-bearing animals except beaver, muskrat, and beaver (throughout the district), open season from Dec. 1 to March 31, both dates inclusive.

Beaver, in Western district, known as the Prince Rupert, Skeena and Mackenzie, open season from Dec. 1 to March 31, both dates inclusive.

GAME BIRDS

(i) Ducks (except wood and elder ducks), Wilson snipe, coots, black-bellied and golden plover, greater yellowlegs.

Northern and Eastern districts—Open season from Sept. 15 to Dec. 31, both dates inclusive.

Western district—in the north of the 52nd parallel of latitude, open season from Sept. 15 to Dec. 31, both dates inclusive.

Eastern district—in the south of the 52nd parallel of latitude, open season from Oct. 15 to Jan. 15, both dates inclusive.

(j) Grouse and ptarmigan (except prairie-chicken or sharp-tailed grouse), Northern district—Open season from Sept. 1 to Nov. 15, both dates inclusive.

River from the Bar Creek on the North to Texas Creek on the South, ten miles on either side of the Fraser River, open season from Oct. 15 to Oct. 31, both dates inclusive.

Clock Birds Only

Western district—On Vancouver Island (except Oak Bay municipality) and on Gabriola and Texada Islands, open season from Oct. 15 to November 30, both dates inclusive.

On Sidney, Moresby, Peden, Mayana, Galiano, Salt Spring, Denman and Hornby Islands, open season from Oct. 15 to Dec. 31, both dates inclusive.

On the mainland (except that portion thereof known as the Squamish Valley and Point Grey and that further portion of Point Grey under the control of the crown), open season from Oct. 15 to Nov. 30, both dates inclusive.

HEN BIRDS

On Salt Spring, Denman and Hornby Islands, open season from Dec. 1 to Dec. 31, both dates inclusive.

EUROPEAN PARTRIDGE

Eastern district—Similkameen and South Okanagan, open season from Oct. 15 to Nov. 15, both dates inclusive.

In North Okanagan, open season from Nov. 1 to Nov. 15, both dates inclusive.

Eastern district—Delta municipality open season from Nov. 15 to Nov. 30, both dates inclusive.

BAG LIMITS

In respect of big game throughout the Province as defined in the "Game Act" no person shall anywhere in the Northern and Eastern districts kill or take or have in their possession during the open season more than two deer, all of which must be of the male sex, and the Western district kill or take or have in their possession during the open season more than three bear or any species other than grizzly, and north of the main line of the Canadian National Railway, formerly known as the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, two grizzly bear and south of the said railway line one grizzly bear.

In the portion of the Province north of the main line of the Canadian National Railway, formerly known as the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, no person shall at any time, kill or take or have in their possession during the open season more than two mountain sheep of any one species or three altogether of the male sex.

In the electoral districts of Fernie, Cranbrook and Columbia and in the electoral districts of the Province south of the main line of the Canadian National Railway, no person shall at any time kill or take or have in their possession during the open season more than one caribou of the male sex.

Throughout the Province no person shall at any time kill or take or have in their possession during the open season more than two mountain goats.

GAME BIRDS

No person shall in any district hereinafter designated kill or take or have in their possession during the open season more than the daily bag limit hereinafter set out respectively: nor kill, take, or have in their possession during the open season more than the entire open season of game birds than the total bag limits set out:

NORTHERN AND EASTERN DISTRICTS

Pheasants—(Cock birds only), except in the Creston electoral district, daily bag limit, 4; total bag limit, 15.

In Creston electoral district, total bag limit, 2.

Quail—Bay limit, 10; total bag limit, 100.

Grouse and Ptarmigan—(Except prairie chicken in the Northern and Eastern districts), daily bag limit, 4; total bag limit, 15.

Prairie chicken—In the Eastern district, daily bag limit, 3; total bag limit, 12.

In the Northern district, daily bag limit, 4; total bag limit, 50.

European Partridge—Daily bag limit, 4; total bag limit, 15.

WESTERN DISTRICT

Pheasants—(Cock birds only), daily bag limit, 4; total bag limit, 15.

In the districts where the season is open for the shooting of both cock and hen pheasants, daily bag limit, 6; total bag limit, 15.

Quail—(Except bob white), daily bag limit, 10; total bag limit, 50.

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The prohibitions declared by subsection (1) of section 35 of the "Game Act" as to the buying, selling, and having in possession of big game and game birds, so far as the same relate to game lawfully killed or taken are hereby removed to the extent and within the periods and limits and subject to the provisions hereinafter set out as follows:

(a) Moose and caribou, bulls over one year of age, in the electoral districts of Allin and Omineca, from Oct. 1, 1925, to Dec. 15, 1925, both dates inclusive.

(b) Bear, in the northern district from Sept. 1, 1925, to June 30, 1926, both dates inclusive; and in the Eastern district from Sept. 15, 1925, to June 30, 1926, both dates inclusive.

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C.N.R. ENGINEERS DEVELOP IMPORTANT INNOVATION IN CAR

Economical Electric Unit Worked Out After Experiments by Experts

Montreal, Aug. 27.—A new type of passenger car operated by electricity developed by a generator installed within the body and which it is hoped will help to solve one of the great problems of Canadian railroads will be placed on service within a few days on certain lines of the central region of the Canadian National Railways. This type of equipment, known as the Diesel electric car, represents an entirely new development in motive power and brings to a successful termination one of the most interesting chapters in the evolution of rail transportation in North America.

Two types of cars, one with single sixty-foot body and the other with two bodies with an overall length of 120 feet, have been designed. The former carries fifty-six passengers in addition to baggage, and the latter 126 passengers. A Diesel engine, operated by fuel oil, is located in one end of the car. These engines are started by a small electric motor and in turn they generate sufficient electrical energy while operating to charge storage batteries for this motor and also for lighting, etc. The engine in the small car has four cylinders, developing upwards of 160 B.H.P., while an eight-cylinder engine operates the large car, with a rated power of 320 B.H.P. In both cases the engines are self-governed and cars can be operated from either end so that construction of a way for turning is unnecessary.

While no extravagant claims are made for the performance of the new cars, tests made during the past month show that they are both economical and eminently suitable for suburban, interurban and branch line traffic, where there is insufficient density to warrant more costly operation of steam trains.

On a preliminary trial run the sixty-foot car operated from Montreal to Toronto in 5 hours 30 minutes actual running time without difficulty and with out stopping the engine. On a side trip from Port Hope to Lakeland the car handled a coach as trailer and was able to negotiate heavy grades at a moderate speed. The fuel oil consumption from Montreal to Toronto, including hauling trailer to Lakeland and including standby losses, averaged one gallon for 4.5 miles, or about ten per cent of the fuel cost for similar steam operation.

To C. E. Brooks, chief of motive power of the C.N.R., R. J. Needham and R. G. Gage, engineers, are credited chiefly with the new development. For more than three years they have been working on their plans with the support of Sir Henry Thornton and Vice-president S. J. Hungerford. Except for the engines and specially constructed generator the cars are the products of the Point St. Charles shops and are therefore truly a Canadian production.

Bombay Boycott of Banks Affects New Zealanders

Bombay, Aug. 27 (Canadian Press Cable via London).—The municipal corporation of Bombay has refused to exempt New Zealanders from the operation of a resolution passed by the corporation in March, 1923, boycotting Dominion banks and insurance companies as a protest against the treatment accorded Indians in Dominions of the Empire. A letter recently received by the municipality from the New Zealand Government urged New Zealand should be granted exemption from the boycott on the ground that the Indians in that Dominion did not labor under any disadvantages.

TWO MEN DROWNED

Three Rivers, Que., Aug. 27.—Hortons Creveling, thirty-six, was drowned yesterday when their horse bolted, dragging the buggy in which they were riding from a ferry into the river.

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Urge Canadian be New Governor-General

Vancouver, Aug. 27.—Vancouver Assembly of the Native Sons of Canada went on record last night as favoring the appointment of a Canadian to the office of Governor-General. Sir James McKim, Sir Robert Borden, Sir William Mulock, Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux, Gen. Sir Arthur Currie, Sir Lomer Gouin and Right Hon. W. B. Fielding were suggested as suitable for the position.

Lord Buckmaster Spoke in Winnipeg

Winnipeg, Aug. 27.—Declaring justice should be swift, certain, and open alike to rich and poor, Right Hon. Lord Buckmaster, of Cheddington, former Lord Chancellor of Great Britain, told the annual convention of the Canadian Bar Association here last night that in his opinion the legal profession deserved the reproach that while the poor man was sure of even justice from the Bench, he was not sure to get it from the Bar.

Lord Buckmaster advanced a proposal to remedy this reproach when he suggested every lawyer take a certain number of poor men's cases every year.

Lord Buckmaster declared he had never known any instance in the British Empire where justice had been deflected by any judge. No political party could sustain a judge of a court of the Empire, a situation that had been attained after long efforts.

In conclusion, he said: "The position of the judge should be regarded not only as one of dignity, but also as one of honor, and not a mere ordinary service of state."

Lord Buckmaster's address was followed by tumultuous applause, with the auditor, in response to a motion of the Chief Justice Anglin, the distinguished Britisher was made a life member of the Canadian Bar Association.

CYCLONE CAUSE OF LOSS IN BULGARIA

Belgrade, Aug. 27.—A cyclone last night blew down a band stand here while a band was playing, and wrecked an aviation field. The storm carried off several aeroplanes, including that of Capt. J. Weiss, French aviator, who is attempting a flight around Europe.

Vancouver Island News

FAREWELL RECEPTION TO SOOKE MINISTER

Congregation Say God Speed to Rev. and Mrs. Comley

Special to The Times
Sooke, Aug. 27.—A farewell reception to the Rev. and Mrs. Comley was held at the home of Mr. Pelton on Saturday evening. Many members of the congregation were present to wish them Godspeed and every excess in their new sphere of activity at Alert Bay.

Mr. Murray, vicar's churchwarden, voicing the feelings of the congregation in a short speech, said that after five years their loss would be greatly felt by all the church members. Mr. Murray on behalf of the people presented the Rev. and Mrs. Comley with a cut glass bowl as a small token of esteem.

Mr. Comley, replying for Mrs. Comley, to whom the bowl was presented, laughingly said it was not of a man was asked to speak for a woman. The friendships that he and his wife had formed in the parish were one of the permanent things that absence add distance could not affect and asked for the prayers of the congregation in their new life.

Refreshments served by the daughters of the house, the Misses Barbers, Mr. and Mrs. Pelton, were then partaken of, and after bidding the pastor and Mrs. Comley goodbye the reception broke up at 10.30 o'clock.

Mrs. Philip Snape and her two children have returned from a visit to relatives on the mainland.

Guests at Paradise Inn include: Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Broadfoot and son; Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Hopburn; Victoria: Miss M. F. Gibson, Vernon; Miss C. B. Judge, Victoria; Mr. Charles R. Pollock, Seattle; Mr. E. G. Rankin, Mr. John Anderson, Mr. Willard Johnson, Spokane; Mrs. John Thackeray, Miss Mollie Thackeray, Chilliwack; Mrs. S. Watson and child, Oak Bay; Mr. Walter O. Leide, Colquitz; Mr. W. J. Barker, Victoria; Miss Adeline Leach, Mr. and Mrs. John Hind and son, Victoria; Miss S. Gibson, Rev. H. C. B. Gibson, Vernon; Mr. Garret Gibson and wife, Victoria; Miss S. H. Baugh-Allen, Victoria; Mr. J. L. Gordon, Kamloops; Mr. P. H. Leeming, Victoria; Dr. and Mrs. E. G. Grant and children, Seattle; Capt. M. J. Ard, Mrs. Wilfred Ard, Miss Clemency Ard, Victoria.

Nanose Bay News

(Special to The Times)
Nanose Bay, Aug. 27.—Miss Clara Craig has returned to Nanose after spending the past month visiting at Lytton, the guest of her sister, Mrs. James Lachore. Miss Craig was accompanied by the Misses Johnston and Reay.

Mrs. Ernest Jones of Vancouver is visiting her son at Nanose.

Mr. H. Pack of Chemainus was a visitor at Nanose over the week end.

Mrs. Staneland, who has been camping at Nanose, is returning to Victoria.

Mrs. F. Haarer and family have returned to Nanose Bay after a few days' visit to Seattle.

CATTLE SHORTAGE IN QUEBEC PROVINCE

Not Enough Animals Grown to Supply Meat Needs of the People

Quebec, Aug. 27.—The Province of Quebec is faced with a shortage of steers to supply the meat requirements of its population. It was divulged at a meeting of local butchers and cattle men here. On this account, the butchers operating in the bigger cities of the Province, can easily dispose of any excess of Western Canadian cattle arriving here for shipment overseas. This situation has existed so long, and has advanced to such an extent that farmers in Province of Quebec are sending their cows to the butchers. Butchers and cattle men agree the only solution of the problem lies in an intensive breeding programme to be carried out by the farmers of this Province.

OPINION DIVIDED IN BRITISH LABOR ON ONE BIG UNION

London, Aug. 27.—A division of opinion has arisen among British trade unionists over the proposal to be submitted to the forthcoming Trade Union Congress making provision for the formation of a great industrial alliance of all unions, representing 5,000,000 workers.

A. J. Cook, general secretary of the Miners' Federation, is the main sponsor of the proposal, which is represented in the press as an attempt to capture the unions by the Reds. The scheme already is meeting with opposition.

Meanwhile, Cook has fallen foul of some of his trade union colleagues, especially G. A. Spencer, Labor member of Parliament for Brixton and one of the leaders of Nottinghamshire miners. The two men have exchanged sharp letters.

Spencer charges Cook with being less concerned with the case of the coal miners than with gratification of his own "ambitious egotism." The heat of the trade unionists, Spencer adds, are disgusted with Cook's revolutionary utterances, and his statements, in the commoner's opinion, reveal a "mind diseased with inflation of its own exaggerated importance."

Ladysmith News

(Special to The Times)

Ladysmith, Aug. 27.—At an organization meeting held by the Newcastle Conservative Association in Ladysmith on August 20, the following officers were elected: President, C. F. Davie, M.P.P.; first vice-president, D. Nicholson; second vice-president, J. Nimmo; secretary, A. H. Newcombe; treasurer, H. Wright; honorary members, Hon. Arthur Melghen and C. H. Dickie, M.P. Executive officers to include representatives from each polling division as follows: Cassidy & 23, South Cedar & South Wellington 4. It is the intention of the association to thoroughly canvass the district for members and to form a really strong working organization to further the ends of the Conservative Party in Newcastle. Both Provincial and Federal matters were discussed at length and a constitution adopted. Further meetings are to be held shortly.

AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY

The directors of the Ladysmith Agricultural Society report splendid progress in the arrangements of their Fall show to be held at Ladysmith, September 9 and 10. Keen competition is expected in the live stock entries as many from outside points have expressed their intentions of exhibiting. It is also expected that the exhibits of women's work will be larger than previous years, as will be the showing of fruits and vegetables. The prize lists are out and in the hands of the secretary, W. A. Callum, and may be had for the asking.

FOOTBALL

At the executive meeting of the Army and Navy Veterans, Ladysmith unit, held last week, it was decided if possible to enter a football team this year to play in the city league. The unit have many old players and some promising youngsters who will surely make a name for themselves in competition with the other team. J. Stevenson has been made manager of the team and has the matter well in hand.

Mrs. C. Galloway of Vancouver, accompanied by her two children, is in town visiting her sister, Mrs. J. Kemper.

Chemainus News

(Special to The Times)

Chemainus, Aug. 27.—Mr. and Mrs. J. Russell Robinson have as their guests Mr. and Mrs. J. Stirling Jr. of Vancouver.

Mr. William Trenholm Sr. of Vancouver is home for a holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Robinson are away on a vacation which will be spent in Vancouver and Victoria.

Mr. F. A. Reed and Mrs. F. Taylor, president and vice-president of the ladies' auxiliary to the Chemainus General Hospital, attended the conference of the British Columbia Hospitals' Association in Nanaimo last Thursday.

Mr. Gordon McInnes is visiting his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. McNeill, Tacoma.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Stirling, Mrs. John Robinson, Mrs. J. Russell Robinson, Miss May and baby Robinson spent Tuesday at Cowichan Lake.

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CONVICTIONS UNDER FOREST FIRE LAW

Smithers, B.C., Aug. 27.—Three offenders against the Provincial fire regulations were dealt with in court here yesterday by Magistrate Hocking. Andrew Naitan, convicted of having failed to report a forest fire and prevented its spread, was sentenced to a fine of \$25 or fifteen days with hard labor.

The other two persons charged were both Indians. William Chichewa, an aged man, was found guilty of setting out a fire without a permit and received a suspended sentence. He will be dealt with by the Department of Indian Affairs. Peter Piere was convicted of leaving a camp fire burning and sentenced to a fine of \$25 or fifteen days with hard labor.

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NOT WHAT HE USED TO BE

THERE IS A RADICAL difference between the Dr. Tolmie who indulged in the time-worn campaign platitudes of his party at the Conservative picnic yesterday, and the Dr. Tolmie of a few years ago who, respecting the intelligence of his audiences, kept within the region of fact and common sense and left the ancient little tricks of the hustings to the professional party spellbinders. Too much partisanship in intimate association with the melancholy Meighen has clearly undermined the Doctor's judgment and made him a glib and careless practitioner of his party's doctrine.

For example, yesterday Dr. Tolmie said that tariff reduction by the Mackenzie King Government "had resulted in depressed industrial and commercial conditions from one end of the country to the other." Now, we know that Dr. Tolmie does not believe this to be the case, because only a few weeks ago he told the Kiwanis Club that conditions in Canada were quite promising and that all we needed were more immigrants—carefully selected at that—to enable us to recover fully from the effects of the war. Further, such tariff reductions as the King Government has made have been mainly on the implements used by our basic industries, such as mining, agriculture, lumbering and fishing, and therefore must be beneficial to the country.

Doctor Tolmie a few years ago would have admitted that reductions in the tax on material required for our industries would be a good thing for British Columbia, and he would have advocated a still further reduction. The Doctor Tolmie of today says in effect that the cost of these implements should be increased by a higher customs duty in the East. Obviously he is now more concerned for the political advantage of his party in Ontario than he is for the economic well-being of his own Province. His eastern affiliations have spoiled him.

We are free to admit that it is no easy task to square the policy of Mr. Meighen with all classes of the Canadian community. Nobody in the Conservative ranks has been able to convince the Canadian farmers that their condition would be improved by increasing the cost of agricultural implements. Able men than the Doctor have tried it, and there is not a solitary Tory member of the House of Commons from the Great Lakes to the Rocky Mountains. In fact the percentage of Tory members from rural districts anywhere in Canada is small. Quebec is largely a farming province and its sixty-five members support the King Government. And what about the consumers and the cost of living?

No, Doctor Tolmie, like the old gray mare, is not "what he used to be." Both he and Mr. Dickie, who a few weeks ago said Canada was all right and yesterday said it was all wrong, have become "practical politicians," repeating, like phonograph records, the little ditties composed for them by the party interests in the East. Those interests seem to care little for western Canada, for whether in the Senate or in the House they always line up in opposition to any measure calculated to promote the economic progress of this part of the Dominion.

THOSE DEBTS

IT LOOKS AS IF GREAT Britain and France have nearly reached an arrangement on the subject of squaring accounts. A tentative agreement provides for the French payment of Britain's bill of \$623,000,000 at the rate of \$12,500,000 a year for sixty-two years. This is about the time that will elapse before Britain's account with the United States will be wiped off unless other arrangements are made in the meantime.

The average individual makes no serious effort to appreciate the mag-

nitude of war debts. They are altogether too bewildering. His superficial understanding of the relative indebtedness of Britain and her continental allies, however, incline him to the view that payment of the latter's accounts to the United States should synchronize in time and amount with payments to Britain. Mr. Churchill seems to have made this point clear to France and France will probably agree. For it must be remembered that the British Treasury is still owed by the Allies and Dominions no less a sum than \$2,235,965,000, while her original liability to the United States, upon which several payments have been made in the meantime, was approximately \$1,000,000,000—most of it borrowed for Britain's Allies.

How necessary it is for Britain to be paid something at least is shown by the fact that her total dead weight debt stood at \$7,646,000,000 at the end of the last fiscal year. Of this \$6,525,000,000 is internal and \$1,121,000,000 is external, the latter mainly owing to the United States. In 1914 the national debt was approximately \$650,000,000.

WILL IT BE BARON HEARST?

WILLIAM RANDOLPH Hearst, owner of numerous newspapers and magazines in the United States, has purchased St. Donat's Castle in Wales which will be used as a home for himself and Mrs. Hearst during their visits to Great Britain. St. Donat's is one of the most famous castles in the Old Country, having been built first in the twelfth century. A short time ago, judging from the attitude of the Hearst press towards Britain and things British, we would have said that its proprietor was the last person in the world who would acquire a home in that locality. Lately, however, that attitude has noticeably changed and Mr. Hearst's newspapers at times have become distinctly friendly. What will be the next stage? Will it be the appearance at court of Lord Hearst of St. Donat's? The nobility in Britain in recent years has been jarred so often that it must be shock-proof by this time. Little did Mr. Lloyd George realize when he invited the American publisher to breakfast at Downing Street with him during his premiership what a train of curious circumstances would flow from that occasion.

OFF ON HIS FACTS

DR. TOLMIE REALLY ought to familiarize himself with his subject before he takes the platform to discuss it. He told a Conservative gathering at Deep Cove yesterday that a Liberal Government in Great Britain had cut down the tariff walls since the end of the Great War. Then he went on to say that tariff reduction in the Old Country had led to a commercial depression which was without parallel in British history—that at the present time Great Britain was paying debts to 1,300,000 unemployed men.

In the first place there has been no Liberal Government in Great Britain since the war. In the second place Great Britain has not been a tariff protected country for sixty years. This is what has taken place since the end of the Coalition in 1922: Party government was restored by electing Mr. Bonar Law on his promise that he would not interfere with the fiscal policy of the country. His party won because Liberalism was hopelessly divided into two definite sections. After the death of Mr. Bonar Law the present Prime Minister renewed his predecessor's promise that he would not tinker with the tariff during the life of his Government. Then Mr. Baldwin went to Portsmouth and announced his intention to go to the country on the tariff question. He went to the country and the Free Trade forces composed of Labor and Liberal decided defeated him. At the election of 1924, a contest fought mainly on an imported issue, the question of Protection remained in its shroud.

Will Dr. Tolmie seriously suggest that the unemployment situation in the Old Country has anything to do with the tariff? If he contends that it does, let us remind him and his friends who heard him at Deep Cove yesterday that the number of unemployed in Britain to-day is a little more than 150,000 in excess of the number idle thirteen months ago—during the regime of Mr. Ramsay MacDonald—an out and out Free Trade regime. The restoration of the McKenna duties and an extension of the machinery to "safeguard" the Safeguarding of Industries Act are Baldwin policies now.

Dr. Tolmie apparently thinks

the chief difficulty with the British voter is his inability to look after his own affairs. Now if he had a little leadership from Mr. Meighen and the Federal member for Victoria, he might find the panacea for his present ills. On the contrary, however, the Doctor and his leader would curtail British sales to Canada by a tariff barrier and increase the unemployment situation in the Old Country by that obvious trade restriction? Even Sir Arthur Balfour—a Conservative from Britain—told us the other day that a protectionist Government over there would not last a day. Apparently this eminent British industrialist has a good deal to learn from Dr. Tolmie and Mr. Meighen.

Canada sold \$429,000,000 worth of goods to the United States in the last twelve months. This is just \$80,000,000 less than we bought from our neighbor. Mr. Dickie says we are selling very little in that market. When his friends were in office at Ottawa we bought from the United States \$300,000,000 worth of products more than we sold there. And our dollar was at a discount there too. Now it is at a premium. Mr. Dickie also was having his little joke with his audience yesterday.

WHO'S WHO IN HISTORY TO-DAY

THURSDAY, AUGUST 27

HONORIUS

Roman Emperor of the West, died on August 27, 423. He succeeded his father Theodosius in the western half of the empire, while his brother Arcadius inherited the eastern half. During his reign began the break-up of the western half under attacks of the Goths, Franks, Vandals, and Burgundians, while Britain made itself virtually independent.

LOPE DE VEGA

Celebrated Spanish dramatist and poet, died August 27, 1634. Exiled from Madrid on account of a duel, he later joined the Spanish Armada, and upon his return to Madrid became known as a dramatic writer. After the death of his second wife he entered the church and took priest's orders. He is credited with having written eighteen hundred plays and four hundred autos.

JAMES THOMSON

British poet, died on August 27, 1748. He studied for the church, and later held several sinecure offices. Among his poems are "The Seasons," "The Castle of Indolence," and "Liberty," and the short poem "Rule Britannia."

WORDS OF WISE MEN

There is nothing humbler than ambition when it is about to climb.

—Franklin.

An angry man is again angry with himself when he returns to reason.

—Bryce.

Do not always judge by appearances.

—La Fontaine.

It is for want of application rather than of means that men fail of success.

—La Rochefoucauld.

Architecture is frozen music.

—Goethe.

Art may err, but nature cannot miss.

—Dryden.

Choose an author as you choose a friend.

—Roscommon.

It is often better not to see an insult than to avenge it.

—Seneca.

Bad is the wool that cannot be dyed.

—Terence.

bashfulness is an ornament to youth, but a reproach to old age.

—Aristotle.

Savage bears agree with one another.

—Juvenal.

The WEATHER

Daily Bulletin Published by the Victoria Meteorological Office

Victoria, Aug. 27.—5 a.m.—The barometer is rising on the Northern Coast and fine, warmer weather may again be expected. Eastward to Kootenay. Fine hot weather with local showers is reported in the Prairie Provinces.

Victoria—Barometer, 30.41; temperature, maximum yesterday, 67; minimum, 51; wind, 10 miles W.; rain, .01; weather, clear.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.40; temperature, maximum yesterday, 67; minimum, 51; wind, calm; rain, .01; weather, clear.

Seattle—Barometer, 30.38; temperature, maximum yesterday, 67; minimum, 51; wind, calm; rain, .01; weather, clear.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.10; temperature, maximum yesterday, 67; minimum, 51; wind, calm; weather, cloudy.

Kesteven Point—Barometer, 30.04; temperature, maximum yesterday, 67; minimum, 51; wind, calm; weather, cloudy.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 30.02; temperature, maximum yesterday, 67; minimum, 51; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, cloudy.

Portland, Ore.—Barometer, 30.06; temperature, maximum yesterday, 67; minimum, 51; wind, 4 miles S.E.; rain, .24; weather, clear.

Seattle—Barometer, 30.06; temperature, maximum yesterday, 67; minimum, 51; wind, 4 miles E.; weather, cloudy.

San Francisco—Barometer, 29.94; temperature, maximum yesterday, 67; minimum, 51; wind, 4 miles S.W.; weather, cloudy.

Calgary—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 67; minimum, 51; wind, 4 miles E.; weather, cloudy.

Regina—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 67; minimum, 51; wind, 4 miles E.; weather, cloudy.

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St. John.....67 51

Halifax.....67 51

Other People's Views

Letters addressed to the Editor and intended for publication must be short, readable, and to the point. The Editor reserves the right to shorten or to omit any letter, but not for publication. The Editor reserves the right to return any letter to the Editor. The Editor reserves the right to return any letter to the Editor.

EARL HAIG'S UNIFICATION PROPOSALS

To the Editor:—From correspondence which has appeared recently in the press it would seem that some misapprehension exists among local ex-service men as to the aims and objects of the unification movement. The British Legion has many other objects in view than the unification of ex-service men. The Legion is a body of men who are interested in the furtherance of Earl Haig's proposals for the inclusion into one great organization of all ex-service men in Canada. Those present at the last meeting have asked me to endeavor to explain the situation.

The position of those who attended the meetings may be best understood from resolutions passed unanimously at the second meeting. These stated that the meeting was in entire accord with the work at present being undertaken by the "Unity Committee" among the organized bodies of ex-service men; and that the aim which the meeting had in view was the promotion of the objects of Earl Haig's scheme among the unorganized ex-service men and women.

It is a matter of common knowledge that a large proportion, possibly more than half, of the ex-service men in Vancouver Island do not, for one reason or another, belong to any of the existing organized bodies. It is not apparent that any effort is being made to acquaint these men with what is being done to carry out Earl Haig's unification proposals. It is not apparent that any effort is being made to acquaint these men with what is being done to carry out Earl Haig's unification proposals.

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(a) To get in touch with as large a number as possible of the ex-service men in Vancouver Island who do not belong to any existing organization, with a view to keeping them informed of what is being done to carry out Earl Haig's proposals.

(b) To place the full knowledge of the advantages which it is hoped will accrue from the unification of ex-service men, and for the welfare of the unorganized men who have been carried into effect. So that each man may be able to decide for himself in regard to these proposals.

There can be little doubt but that the benefits of unification will be realized. To exemplify them the case of the British Legion in the United Kingdom may be cited. Since 1914, the organization has been carrying out the unification of all previously existing ex-service organizations, the work done by it for the benefit of the service men has been far beyond what any of those organizations acting separately could have achieved. The main object of the Legion has been the acquisition of pensions for disabled, injured and other ex-service men, and for the widows and orphans of the men who were killed or died. Its Pension Department deals with some 500,000 cases a year. Last year nearly 60,000 first claims to pension were made to the Pensioners Ministry, of which only 18,000 were admitted at once by the Ministry. The Legion takes up the case for the Government's consideration, whereby seventy-five per cent. preference is given to ex-service men in the award of pensions. Its special effort of labor of laborers—National Work Drive—resulted in the finding of work for many thousands of ex-service men last year.

It has a large department which includes into and, if they are well founded, takes up complaints and claims of its members who have been wronged, public bodies, or by individuals, and has been very successful in securing justice for them.

It has also a financial department, which, among other things, makes loans to members who may be starting small businesses, or resuscitating businesses lapsed as a result of the war, or who may be in need of temporary assistance to tide over hard times or sickness due to military service. Incidentally, a very large proportion of these loans have been already repaid.

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DAILY RADIO PROGRAMMES

THURSDAY, AUGUST 27

CFCT (32.5) Victoria, B.C.
10.30 p.m.—Stocks' Reliable Order of Night Birds.

6.30 p.m.—Children's half-hour. CKCK (478) The Leader, Regina, Sask.

6.45 p.m.—Studio programme. KCFE (258) Walla Walla, Wash.

6.50 p.m.—Orchestra music. WOK (27.3) Meriden, Conn., Chicago.

10.1 a.m.—Gus C. Edwards orchestra and artists.

GNRC (45.8) Calgary, Alta.

7 p.m.—Bedtime travel tale.

9 p.m.—Musical programme.

KJR (38.4) Seattle, Wash.

6.45 p.m.—What's Doing at the Radio.

6.50 p.m.—Studio programme.

6.55 p.m.—Studio programme.

7 p.m.—Studio programme.

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5 p.m.—Studio programme.

5.15 p.m.—Studio programme.

BEDTIME STORY

Uncle Wiggily and the Sour Grass

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(By Howard R. Garis)

"Dear me!" exclaimed Mrs. Longears, the rabbit lady wife of Uncle Wiggily, one day.

"What is the matter?" asked the bunny gentleman as he opened the front door of his hollow stump bungalow.

"Uncle Butter, the goat, and Aunt Lettie just telephoned to say they are coming over to tea," said Mrs. Longears, "and I haven't a

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Ribbed Silk Hose with reinforced heels, soles and toes, in black, white, fawn, bobalink and grey. A pair **\$2.00**

Sheer Finished or Lustrous Artificial Silk Hose with Hela garter hem, in shades of black, white, brown, Oriental pearl, grey, beige, camel and log cabin. A pair **69¢**

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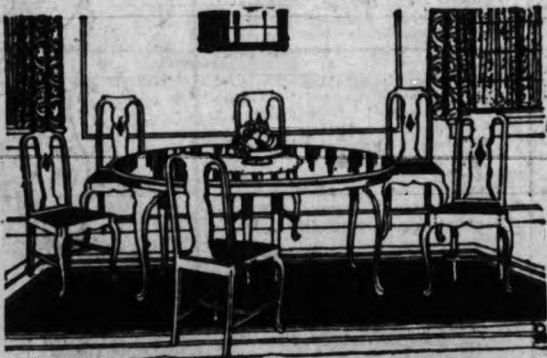
Ribbed to Toe Silk and Wool Hose, in shades of black, sand, otter, Jasper and putty. Special, a pair **\$1.19**

English Ribbed Lisle Sports Hose, two-tone effects, in sand, brown, cream, sunburn and grey. A pair **\$1.25**

Silk Plated Hose with well spliced heels, soles and toes, elastic garter hem, a non-ladder hose in sizes 3 1/2 to 10. Shades are black, white, sand, Crisp, atmosphere, cork, grain, log cabin, pearl grey and brown. Special, a pair **\$1.00**

Women's Ribbed to Toe Sports Hose of Hela, Mercury brand; shades are black, white, sand, Natan, brown, tojas and grey; sizes 3 1/2 to 10. A pair **95¢**

—Hosiery, Main Floor



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—Furniture, Second Floor

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—Whitewear, First Floor

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—Neckwear, Main Floor

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—Children's Shoes, First Floor

SILKS

Good Values Friday

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An especially good Crepe for dresses, well made, pretty weave and excellent quality. Shown in flame, rose, biscuit, follow, orange, almond, mauve, lemon, white, ecru, grey and shrimp. Special, a yard, **59¢**

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A very fine French Velvet with a splendid finish, makes a most graceful dress. Shown in black, navy, silver, jade, cyclamen, sapphire, cerise, bengali, flame, powder blue, brown and Copen. A yard **\$4.95**

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A beautifully designed material in lovely colorings, finest quality. These Ninons are now very much in vogue for afternoon or evening frocks. Priced at, a yard **\$4.50**

—Silks, Main Floor

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New Fall Suits in snappy or conservative models for men or young men tailored from blue serge, the new blue heringbone stripes, brown and grey. The excellent quality fabrics, smart styles and expert tailoring combine to make these suits splendid values at **\$25.00**

—Men's Clothing, Main Floor

Men's Wolsey Brand Underwear

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Wolsey Brand Underwear, made from the finest wool yarns in nice Fall weight, combinations in natural wool with long sleeves, closed crotch and ankle length, guaranteed unshrinkable; sizes 36 to 44. A suit **\$7.50**

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All Wool Sweater Coats in cardigan style, Penman or Atlantic brands, assorted colors in good Fall weight. Special, each **\$2.75**

—Sweaters, First Floor

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Linoleum—Scotch and extra heavy Printed Linoleum ends up to 9 square yards. Regular \$1.19. Remnant Price, a square yard, **75¢**

Dominion Printed Linoleum. Ends up to 9 square yards. Regular 89¢. Remnant Price, a square yard **65¢**

Oilcloth, genuine painted canvas back oilcloth, ends up to 7 square yards. Regular 64¢. Remnant price, a square yard, **39¢**

—Linoleums, Second Floor

Rich Deep Pile Axminster Rugs

At Final August Sale Reductions

Barrymore Axminster Rugs in handsome designs, rich deep pile, taken from our regular stock and greatly reduced for this sale.

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6.9x10.6 size. August Sale Price, **\$34.50**

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9.0x12.0 size. August Sale Price, **\$49.75**

—Carpets, Second Floor

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Van Camp's Pork and Beans, reg. 15c, to-day	12c
Rinsol, 4 pkts. for	25c

Kellogg's Corn Flakes, per pkg.	10c
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Carnation Milk, per tin	11c
Cox's Gelatine, per pkt.	15c
French Castile Soap, 4 cakes for	25c
Rogers' Pure Syrup, 5-lb. tin	37c
Liquid Vaseol, reg. 50c, to-day	35c
Sunlight Soap, per pkt.	20c

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Colair Chocolate Biscuits, per lb.	30c

Sweet Oranges, per dozen	15c
Grapefruit, 4 for	25c
Table Peaches, per basket	35c
Large Bananas, per dozen	40c

Fine Canteloupes, each	10c
Large Green Peppers, per lb.	25c
Fresh Head Lettuce, each	5c
Large Stick of Celery, each	10c

Nice Local Plums, per basket	25c
Golden Bantam Corn, per dozen	25c
Preserving Peaches, per box	\$1.09
Concord Grapes, 2 lbs. for	25c

No. 1 Hothouse Tomatoes, per basket	39c
Old English Humpbacks, reg. 40c, to-day, per lb.	25c
Cowan's Milk Chocolate, 1-lb. cake, reg. 25c, to-day	19c
National Assorted Biscuits, 3 packages for	25c
Peter's Assorted Chocolates, 1-lb. box, reg. \$1.00, to-day	85c

Exhibition Prize Creamery Butter, per lb.	48c
Reception Sugar Cured Hams, whole or half, lb.	33c
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Jellied Corned Beef, sliced, lb.	50c
Cooked Ham, sliced, per lb.	25c
Cooked, a perfect shortening, better than lard, per lb.	21c
Government Creamery Butter, lb., 43c, 3 lbs. for	\$1.25

Run and Butter Toffee, reg. 50c, to-day, per lb.	42c
Peter's Milk Chocolate Bars, reg. 5c, to-day	4c
Lorne Deane Sherbread, reg. 50c, to-day	42c
Christie's Sodas, reg. 50c, to-day, per tin	42c

Peas and Butter Toffee, reg. 50c, to-day, per lb.	42c
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IN WOMAN'S DOMAIN

GOVERNMENT HOUSE GROUNDS SCENE OF FASHIONABLE PARTY

His Honor the Lieut.-Governor and Mrs. Nichol Hold Annual Garden Party

A fashionable function was the garden party given at Government House this afternoon by His Honor the Lieut.-Governor and Mrs. Nichol, who were assisted in receiving the numerous guests by the Governor's secretary, Mr. H. J. Muskett.

Mrs. Nichol was gowned in a handsome dress of white georgette, trimmed with black lace, and wore a black lace hat.

In front of the tea house, situated with a back ground of shrubbery on the spacious lawn, surrounded by brilliantly colored summer flowers, the guests were presented to the Governor and Mrs. Nichol. From a marquee afternoon tea was served.

BERLIN DOCTOR CLAIMS CANCER CURE BY SERUM

Tumors Begin to Shrink With First Injection by Reputable Practitioner

Reuter's Special Dispatch to The Victoria Times

London, Aug. 27.—Doctor Joseph Rosenberg of Berlin has announced the discovery of a cancer cure, which he claims to have established as a definite success after a year and a half of research work.

Dr. Rosenberg, who discovered the "epileptor" serum against epilepsy, has been the leading practitioner here in the field of cancer for the last twenty-five years. As a result of his studies he has discovered a chemical serum with which he claims to have produced complete cures.

Dr. Rosenberg refuses to give any idea of what the serum is composed of, but it is stated that it will soon be marketed by one of the biggest chemical firms in Germany.

Describing the effects of the treatment, Dr. Rosenberg stated that the first signs of improvement came with a general loosening and softening of the tumors by the serum.

From week to week, under intravenous injection, they became smaller and smaller, and they eventually disappeared.

Two cases of so-called cures of cancer of the breast—one completed, the other still progressing—have been investigated. The patients both declared that they had been given up by other doctors when Dr. Rosenberg began treatment a year ago in one case, and last January in the other.

With the first injection, they declared, the tumors began to shrink. It was nearly a year before the first cure was complete. In the second the tumor was reduced to the size of a walnut after some months of treatment, and has now practically disappeared.

TEACHERS ON TOUR

Edmonton, Aug. 27.—Sixty-two British secondary school teachers, traveling across Canada in a special C.P.R. train under the auspices of the Overseas Education League, visited here yesterday. All are enthusiastic over what they have seen of Canada's educational system, and have been particularly impressed, they declare, by the vast resources of the Dominion and the confidence, optimism and hospitality of the people. They went from here to Saskatoon.

phanos scarves were chosen for wearing with one frock the scarves being of three different colors—pastel tones of mauve, pink and blue—which look so attractive with the fashionable ecrú-colored toilettes. A novel Ascot scarf was of silk with a long fringe composed of tiny silk flowers and leaves.

TO-MORROW'S HOROSCOPE

By Genevieve Kemble

FRIDAY, AUGUST 28

The astral activities for this day hold promise of rather peculiar or unusual occurrences or experiences. With Uranus and Neptune, deemed to vibrate at a much higher rate than the planets of our accepted planetary chain, the singular, eccentric or unorthodox may be looked for. This applies to routine problems of the business world, but, be it Venus under an afflictive ray from Neptune, the singular, eccentric change and travel, but take new projects under advisement.

Those whose birthday it is may have a year of singular experiences in business as well as in personal affairs. There may be opportunity for change or travel, but these should be carefully considered, as should new projects. A child born on this day may be expected to have qualities or faculties out of the common-place and customary, but its success in life depends upon the hour of its birth.

REALTOR—Mrs. E. A. Kaune of St. Louis is only twenty-eight and she's been married only a couple of weeks, but she's one of the leading real estate women of the country. Just after her marriage she sold a \$1,000,000 hotel, getting a commission of \$40,000.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

M. W. Morton, of Fulford, is in town at the Strathcona Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Waddell are over from Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ross of Waldo, B.C., are at the Dominion Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Newcomb are down from Ladysmith on a short visit.

Miss Helen Leitch of Winnipeg is spending a holiday in Victoria.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley of Hollywood, California, are visiting in Victoria.

Miss Harriet Franklin of Seattle is a visitor in Victoria.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirk, of James Island, are in the city staying at the Dominion Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Flakken of Seattle are visiting in Victoria and are guests at the Victoria Hotel.

Mr. W. P. Pender of South Pender Island is spending a few days in Victoria.

After spending a few days in Victoria, Mr. E. R. Foster returned yesterday to his home in Nanaimo.

Mr. A. L. Henton of Moose Jaw is a visitor in Victoria and is a guest at the Balmoral Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kirkpatrick are spending a holiday on a trip up the West Coast on the Maquinn.

Fred Haarer, Mrs. F. Haarer and Agnes Haarer of Nanaimo Bay, are in Victoria on a short visit. They are at the Dominion Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Godfrey have come down from Powell River on a short visit. They are at the Dominion Hotel.

R. D. Irvine and Miss Irvine arrived in Victoria this morning from Coquitlam. They are at the Dominion Hotel.

Miss Dennis-Cox is visiting in Victoria as the guest of her sister, Mrs. Harold Kennard at her home at Brentwood Bay.

Mr. J. L. White, deputy provincial secretary, after spending a few days in Vancouver has left to spend a holiday in the Kootenay district.

Mr. John Devine, British Columbia manager of the Marmon car of Vancouver is spending a few days in Victoria on business.

Mrs. Quaglin Romano and the Misses Romano of Vancouver are visiting in Victoria and are guests at the Empress Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Beech, Joan Beech and family, are spending a few days at the Empress Hotel, where they have been spending the past week.

Miss Mary Pease, Cadboro Bay Road, has returned from Vancouver, where for a few days she has been the guest of Miss Florence Suter.

Colonel Arthur Panet is visiting in Victoria as the guest of his brother, Colonel de Lotbiniere Panet of Spadina Road.

Dr. and Mrs. K. D. Pantof of Vancouver, after spending a few days in Victoria, returned on Tuesday to their home on the mainland.

Mrs. E. W. Monk, Miss Monk and Mrs. E. W. Monk of Vancouver are spending a few days' holiday in Victoria.

Mrs. H. H. Dingle and Miss Eva Dingle of Seattle are spending a few days in Victoria and are guests at the Empress Hotel.

Mrs. R. B. Rogers of Orcas Island, who has been visiting friends on Victoria Island, has returned to her home in Victoria yesterday.

Mr. C. MacPherson, who has been spending a couple of days at Victoria, has returned to his home at Comox.

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OBITUARY

The funeral of the late Kate Sophia Booth, who passed away Monday, took place yesterday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock from the Sands Funeral Chapel. Numerous friends were in attendance and the services were conducted by the Rev. Arthur deff. Owen. The body was laid to rest in Ross Bay Cemetery.

The death took place this morning at the residence of his grandmother, Mrs. G. Jones of Lang Street, Robert Charles White, eighteen months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert L. White of Sanich. The funeral will be held at the Sands Funeral Chapel and the funeral will be announced later.

There passed away on Wednesday night at the family residence, Mary Matilda McLean, aged eighty-one years, wife of Donald McLean of 149 Medina Street. Mrs. McLean was born in Nova Scotia and had resided in Victoria for the last forty-seven years, and is mourned by her husband and one daughter, Mrs. F. B. Shaver, and one grandson, Donald; also three sisters and three brothers. The remains will repose at the home until Saturday afternoon when the funeral will take place from St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church. Services will be conducted by Rev. W. L. Clay, D.D., at 3 o'clock, after which the remains will be laid to rest at Ross Bay Cemetery.

Funeral service was conducted over the body of the late Mr. William Chapple yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock by the Rev. H. P. Patt, in the presence of a very large gathering of friends and relatives. A large representation from the Loyal Order of Moose, of which deceased was a member, were present, and the Moose Band turned out in full uniform and conducted the body of their brother to Ross Bay Cemetery, where interment took place.

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NEWS IN BRIEF

Use of the Kingston Street School annex for Sunday School purposes was last night granted Dean Quinlan by the City School Board.

As a result of the combined efforts of the members of the Lady Doughty Chapter, I.O.D.E., in the sale of the chapter yesterday the funds of the chapter were augmented by \$312.00.

The Rotary Club will next Wednesday visit the Port Angeles Rotary Club, leaving the city at 9 o'clock on the ferry. The invitation from the Port Angeles Club was accepted at today's luncheon, more than half the members announcing their intention of joining in the excursion.

The City School Board last night was invited by Christ Church Cathedral authorities to enter an exhibit of school work in the forthcoming World Service Exhibition to be held on September 23-24 in the Memorial Hall. The board referred the application to Municipal Inspector G. H. Deane and Chairman George Jay. Many of the visitors were from Salt Spring, Galliano, Mayne and Saturna. Hon. T. G. Coventry, M.P., and the Victoria who came out in motor cars.

Members of the Onwage Young Men's Bible Class of First Church United are reminded that the installation of officers for the coming Fall and Winter term will take place at to-night's meeting to be held at the church. The social committee have arranged a very novel programme for this evening's affair, and a large attendance is expected to give this Fall and Winter's entertainment a good impetus.

In the Supreme Court chambers this morning Mr. Justice Murphy heard an application for guardianship of the children of Louis and May de Macedo. There are five children in all. The court decided that the wife should be appointed guardian, which will be heard before Magistrate George Jay in the city police court tomorrow. The husband's application for guardianship is heard. The husband seeks the guardianship of all but the youngest child.

Fred Landsberg, treasurer of Save the Children Fund, wishes to announce that he has received the following donations to the above fund which have been remitted to headquarters: Mrs. Mackenzie \$45.00; Mrs. Bentley; Miss Egan; Miss Le Sueur; Mrs. Hester Soules; \$3.00; total, \$72.50. In addition to the above of the fund was realized by the sale of a gold ring donated by a friend. Any further contributions will be thankfully received by Mr. Landsberg at Empire Realty Company Limited, 641 Fort Street.

The Great War Veterans' Association has already received a large number of enquiries regarding tickets for the excursion to Seattle on Labor Day and everything is now being put on the way to a most successful time. The American Legion at Seattle has advised they will be particularly pleased to make arrangements for reception committee on the arrival of the boat and will do everything possible for the visitors during their stay in Seattle. The association has engaged the services of a full jazz orchestra and a concert party has also been arranged for.

The ninth annual exhibition of Ward Two Spanish Cottage Garden Society at St. Mark's Hall, Bolekine Road, will be opened by the Hon. T. G. Coventry, M.P., at 3 p.m. on Saturday, August 29. The list of over 200, covering vegetables, flowers and fruit, also ladies' and children's articles. The prizes will be distributed at 5 p.m. by Reeve-Macnicol and at 9 p.m. an auction sale will be held of vegetables, etc. Admission to the sale is at a popular price of 10c for adults and 5c for children. Ice cream and afternoon teas will be served. Intending exhibitors are specially requested to note that all exhibits should be delivered at the hall by 10 a.m. Saturday.

CAMPERS OF RIFLES BOOMED BY AIRMEN

Forty Spanish Aeroplanes Dropped Tons of Explosives on Guns in Battle Area

Spanish Cruiser Alfonso XIII. Put End to Shelling of Alhucemas Island

Mellila, Spanish Morocco, Aug. 27.—An aerial armada of more than forty Spanish aeroplanes and seaplanes dropped tons of high explosive bombs on the guns of the Beni Urraguel Mountains and surrounding territory. The raid was effective principally in the destruction of the rebel gun emplacements. The aviators also made photographs and observed that Abd el Krim has some very large calibre cannon placed along the coast.

The Moors do not station their guns in battery style as is done by European armies, but place them in isolated sites, making firing against them difficult.

SHELLING STOPPED
Although hit by rebel shells, the Spanish cruiser Alfonso XIII has returned here without material damage.

The Alfonso is credited with having saved Alhucemas Island from further rebel bombardment by effectively shelling the Alhucemas coast-line and silencing the rebel guns.

U.S. INCOME FIGURES
New York, Aug. 27.—The people of New York State receive fifteen per cent of the total current income of the United States. The people of Nevada receive one-tenth of one per cent, according to the National Bureau of Research.

Peabody, Mass., Aug. 27.—Spero Argeros told the police here he considered \$5 a gallon too high a price for water. He said he had contracted to buy twenty-five gallons of alcohol from George Dukas and had paid over the money, but later discovered the cans contained nothing but water. He wants the police to get him either the money or the alcohol.

BIG CROWD LIPS TO MEET MAYOR TELLS PLEAS TO WATER DEAL RUSHED

Conservatives of North and South Saanich Stage Annual Outing at Deep Cove

Dr. Tolmie, M.P., Attacks Government For Not Giving Farmers More Protection

Sidney, Aug. 27.—Several hundred people were present yesterday at the combined picnic of the Liberal-Conservative Association of North and South Saanich, held at the beautiful beach of the Chalet, Deep Bay. Many of the visitors were from Salt Spring, Galliano, Mayne and Saturna. Hon. T. G. Coventry, M.P., and the Victoria who came out in motor cars.

After a programme of sports, addresses were given. Col. Cy. B. M.P.P., who acted as chairman and introduced the speakers. C. F. Davis, M.P.P., for Cowichan, drew his audience to give C. H. Dickie a large majority at the coming Federal election. Mr. Davis praised Hon. T. G. Coventry, M.P., and the investigation of the Janet Smith case, and thus had started "rolling the Attorney-General down the hill" and an ex-convict had been the result.

Mr. Dickie, M.P., was the next speaker. He said the government was over-railroaded and overtaxed. R. H. Pooley, leader of the Opposition, spoke a few words, as did Hon. T. G. Coventry, M.P., for South Saanich.

DR. TOLMIE HITS GOVERNMENT
Dr. Tolmie spoke on the position of Canada, saying the King Government had an utter disregard for the protection of the farmer in the price of food.

Canadian manufacturers and farmers are suffering from the present tariff conditions, according to Dr. Tolmie. He said that since the war, the world has adopted protection as their economic policy; yet in spite of that action, or rather the lack of it, the Liberal Government of Great Britain and Canada had cut down the tariff walls of their respective countries.

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L. A. Lewis of Vancouver won his match with J. R. Van Tuyl of Seattle by one up in the other half of the semi-finals. As a result of these matches Lewis and Lippy will play tomorrow morning for the championship.

The finalists in the other championships were also determined this morning. The results were as follows:

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Chinese Chiefs in New York City Are Seeking Terms of Settlement

New York, Aug. 27.—New York police are attempting to end the war of Chinese tongs in the Eastern United States and the Middle West. They agreed to end the war of Chinese tongs in the Eastern United States and the Middle West.

While Tong leaders were closeted with police here yesterday, a Hip Sing member was murdered in Baltimore. He was the first Hip Sing Tong man to die, the others in New York, Chicago, Minneapolis and Pittsburg having been on Leong Tong men.

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Talks to Rotarians at Luncheon Meeting To-day

Illustrating the good bargain which he asserted the city has secured through the expropriation of the Goldstream waterworks, Mayor Carl Pendray, at the weekly luncheon of the Rotary Club at the Chamber of Commerce, this afternoon stated that Engineer Preston's valuation of the physical assets secured amounted to over \$100,000 more than the total cost. This valuation was arrived at after allowing over \$23,000 for depreciation and crediting timber values already sold for \$403,000 at the reduced estimate of \$350,000.

With these drastic reductions in values, Engineer Preston placed the worth of \$1,440,000 on the company's assets transferred to the city for \$1,450,000.

Mayor Pendray showed that sale of water to the Saanich Municipality had been a vital factor in the necessity for expropriation, and assured his audience of the intention of the Council to deal liberally with Saanich in future negotiations.

Telling of the waterworks deal the mayor said:

The original proposition was to pay the Esquimalt Waterworks Company \$1,000,000 for the undertaking and assume a mortgage of \$250,000 due to the Royal Trust Company in twelve years at 4 1/2 per cent interest, or a total cost of \$1,425,000. We finally agreed to assume the mortgage of \$250,000 and pay the company \$225,000, or a total cost of \$1,450,000. Before we decided to expropriate the sale of timber for the sum of \$403,000 had been made and this amount, as received from the logging company, to be applied towards the reduction of the mortgage, making the net cost to the city \$1,047,000.

Mayor Pendray outlined the terms of payment, to be made from the earnings of the system, which he showed to be adequate, as on the basis of 1924 earnings.

After paying all interest charges, upkeep and depreciation, the first year would show a loss of \$3,029.40, the second year a loss of \$1,858.05, the third year a loss of \$254, and the fourth year would show a profit of \$1,498, increasing annually until there is a profit of \$1,459.16 per year, or a total net profit for first twelve years of \$75,902.05. My own opinion is that through increased sales of water, the waterworks company will show a profit from the start, and that at the end of twelve years, instead of a total profit of \$75,902.05, there will be a much larger amount," said the mayor.

The Mayor pointed out that expropriation was the only means of promptly meeting counter negotiations by Saanich.

"Realizing," he said, "that we ran the risk of losing the city of water, Saanich—which amounted to almost \$1,150,000 in 1924 and up to date this year almost \$1,700,000, and also the further possibility of losing the sale of water to Oak Bay Municipality, which amounted to about \$7,000 in 1924 and about \$5,500 up to date this year, and with the further information before me that after the first year's operations, the new Goldstream water supply would mean many thousands of dollars of extra revenue to the City of Victoria, I came to the conclusion that the only course left open to the city would be to expropriate immediately."

Winners of the sports at the Saanich Conservative picnic held yesterday at the Chalet, Deep Cove, were as follows:

Girls' race, six years and under—1, Lita Styan; 2, Ellen Sparkes; 3, Barbara Twiss.

Boys' race, nine years and under—1, Dennis Styan; 2, Stanley Murphy; 3, Gerald Coventry.

Girls' race, twelve years and under—1, Muriel Holdridge; 2, Alice Styan; 3, Nan Thompson.

Boys' race, twelve years and under—1, Frank Holdridge; 2, Pat Clanton; 3, Morris Kersey.

Girls' race, fifteen years and under—1, Gladys Townsend; 2, Winnifred Thornley; 3, Dorothy Carter.

Boys' race, fifteen years and under—1, Stanley Coward; 2, Raymond Kersey; 3, Melville Clanton.

Ladies' hurdle race—seventy-five yards—1, Mrs. Gaphney (Seattle); 2, Ada Britton; 3, Edna Butler.

Men's hurdles, seventy-five yards—1, Raymond Kersey; 2, R. Mitchell; 3, F. Mitchell.

Ladies' race, sixteen years and over—1, Dorothy Gilman; 2, Hilda Styan; 3, Evelyn Stacy.

100-yard dash, young men—1, T. Gurney; 2, R. Mitchell; 3, P. Cummins.

Married ladies' race—1, Mrs. Gaphney; 2, Mrs. Townsend; 3, Mrs. Lord (Galliano Island).

Married men's race—1, J. Thompson; 2, E. Simpson; 3, W. McKinnon.

Wheelbarrow race—1, R. Kersey and Hilda Styan; 2, Mrs. Gaphney and M. Kersey; 3, Mrs. Townsend and F. Holdridge.

Running high jump—1, R. Kersey, who cleared four feet nine and one-half inches; 2, P. Cummins; 3, L. Osborne.

Ladies' running high jump—1, Ada Britton, who cleared three feet ten inches; 2, Agnes Rice; 3, Edna Butler.

Obstacle race—1, L. Styan; 2, P. Clanton; 3, R. Hocking.

Run-eating contest—1, R. Hocking; 2, P. Clanton; 3, Thomas Sidgely.

Ladies' egg and spoon race—1, Mrs. Gaphney; 2, Ada Britton.

Tug-of-war—North Saanich won against South Saanich in two straight pulls.

Boys' sack race—1, S. Goward; 2, P. Holdridge; 3, M. Clanton.

Ladies' sack race—1, H. Styan; 2, Mrs. Townsend; 3, Agnes Rice.

*Apprentice allowance claimed.

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Canadian Bar Association Discusses Strap Suggestion For Young Offenders

MAN POSING AS CONSUL ARRESTED

Ottawa, Aug. 27.—Alpha Sharkey, two years ago, Chicago, registered at a local hotel as Albert Thackeray, United States Consul at Rio Janeiro, was arrested here last evening on a charge of passing worthless cheques.

IRISH BOUNDARY CONFERENCE IS NOW SUGGESTED

London, Aug. 27.—The possibility of another conference between President Cosgrave of the Irish Free State and Sir James Craig, Ulster Premier, over the Irish boundary problem is forecast by The London Daily Express. The newspaper bases its belief that such a conference will be held on a speech made by C. C. Craig, a member of Parliament and a brother of Sir James, in which he suggested that the British Government invite the two Irish leaders to come together and try to effect a settlement of the problem.

FORFEITED HIS BAIL

Elizabeth, N.J., Aug. 27.—A charge of speeding was brought against James Montgomery Flagg, noted artist, in court here yesterday. He forfeited \$100 bail.

NEW MOTOR FUEL

New York, Aug. 27.—A new liquid motor fuel called Cognac, invented by M. Mahanin, a Russian, is said to have given ten to fifteen per cent higher efficiency than benzine when tested by the French navy.

BASEBALL, CRICKET

Three Seattle and One Vancouver Man Reach Semi-Finals

J. E. Wilson, Last Victorian, Eliminated in Second Round of Championship Flight of Seniors' Northwest Golf Association; Van Tuyl, of Seattle, Had a 36 for Nine Holes Yesterday; One Match Carried to 21st Hole

Three Seattle and one Vancouver man remain in the running for the grand championship of the Seniors' Northwest Golf Association. Two rounds yesterday narrowed the contestants down to the semi-finals. L. A. Lewis, of Vancouver, champion in 1923, and F. R. Van Tuyl, T. S. Lippy and J. R. Stritt, of Seattle, are the survivors. To-day Lewis meets Stritt and Van Tuyl plays Lippy. The finals will be played on Friday.

Joshua Collins, of Seattle, the defending champion, all the Victoria and Portland golfers who qualified and all but one of the Vancouver representatives were swept aside in two rounds of golf yesterday which saw plenty of keen golf in the morning, but rather erratic play in the afternoon owing to a strong wind, which blew over the Seattle course of the Victoria Golf Club.

VAN TUYL DOES WELL

Van Tuyl turned in another masterful display yesterday morning. He defeated C. S. Battle of Vancouver, 7 and 6, and made the first nine holes in thirty-six, which is a record for the seniors. On Tuesday Van Tuyl set the seniors' record by his brilliant round of 74, which stands as a record for a veteran for the full eighteen holes.

In the afternoon Van Tuyl had a match on his hands when his fellow townsmen, J. Sobey, opposed him. Van Tuyl was one up at the seventeenth. Sobey had a chance to win the match when he drove his ball into the green. He missed, however, and Van Tuyl won the match by a score of 3 and 2. Van Tuyl was on in three, but played safe for a five, winning the match one up.

CHAMPION, ELIMINATED

Lippy won both his matches by comfortable margins, defeating J. Nation of Victoria in the morning round by 4 and 3, and eliminating Joshua Collins in the afternoon by 3 up. Collins could not get going against the wind. Stritt was pressed to bring off both his matches. He entered the qualifying round by the luck of his masher, being the only one of five who tied for last place in the morning round. Stritt was carried to the nineteenth hole in the morning round, and in the afternoon was not decided until the home green was reached. He won one up.

Lewis, the only Canadian in the running, had little trouble in his morning match with Waghorn of Vancouver, winning by 2 and 2, but J. E. Wilson, the hope of Victoria, came from behind and squared the afternoon match with him at the eighteenth. On the extra hole Lewis had a "five" to Wilson's "six," and won out.

AN INTERNATIONAL AFFAIR

Unless there is something of an upset to-day the final will be an international affair. Canada has but one hope, but it is expected that Lewis, who is a steady veteran in match play, will be equal to the task of eliminating Stritt in the semi-finals. America is sure of at least one Van Tuyl-Lippy match goes the States win. Seniors hope that things will turn out this way as the international flavor will add much lustre and keenness to the final.

Only two close matches were witnessed in the first round of the other championships. In the "A" championship, J. L. McIlreavy defeated J. J. Sharpe of Walla Walla just managed to win the eighteenth hole to defeat A. Schofield of Seattle, one up. In the "B" championship, J. L. McIlreavy defeated J. J. Sharpe of Walla Walla just managed to win the eighteenth hole to defeat A. Schofield of Seattle, one up. In the "C" championship, J. L. McIlreavy defeated J. J. Sharpe of Walla Walla just managed to win the eighteenth hole to defeat A. Schofield of Seattle, one up.

OTHER CHAMPIONSHIPS

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In the Class "C" championship H. P. Bagley of Victoria beat C. H. Jones of Spokane, 6 and 4. George Moore, Vancouver, beat W. Langley, Seattle, 2 and 2. H. Garstens, Seattle, beat F. W. Alexander, 5 and 3. In the semi-finals to-day Bagley plays Wilson and Miller meets Frederick in the semi-finals to-day.

The first round of the first flight of the grand championship brought C. Battle, Vancouver, and F. Nation, Gibson, and L. H. Hardie of Victoria to the semi-finals. Battle beat Brun of Portland, 5 and 3. Nation beat O. J. West of Seattle, 1 and 1. Gibson beat Beryl of Portland, 5 and 2. Hardie beat Waghorn, 3 and 2.

The semi-finals in the twelve other flights were reached, and the final events will be played on Friday. The afternoon will be re-named for the international team.

FORMER CHAMPION



L. A. LEWIS

Of the two previous champions of the Seniors' Northwest Golf Association Lewis is the only one still in the running for the third title, now being played for at the Victoria Golf Club. Joshua Collins of Seattle, last year's champion, was eliminated yesterday. Lewis is the only Canadian left in the running and is playing J. R. Stritt of Seattle in the semi-finals to-day. Mr. Lewis is from Vancouver.

Spencers Win Final Game of Commercial League From Clubmen

In the final game of the Commercial Baseball League played at the Royal Athletic Park last night, the Spencer's won the title by a straight victory by defeating the Tillamooks by the score of 3-2. The game was bitterly fought, but in the end the clubmen were forced to acknowledge defeat at the hands of the league leaders.

Dave Donaldson, who was on the mound for the winners pitched good ball, and was given fine support by his teammates. Cann started for the Tillamooks, but was replaced by Rhodes.

The next game will be the first of the play-off series for the McGavin Cup, and will be played between the Spencer's and Sidney at 5:30 p.m. Wednesday night, starting at 5:30 o'clock.

Lawn Bowling

The last important competition of the season at the Burnside Lawn Bowling Club will be started Saturday evening. Vice-president J. M. Boyd is presenting a cup for the winner of a singles exhibition from Lewis N. White and Louis L. Thalhimer, 7-5, 10-8, 4-6, 2-5, 6-2.

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Western Canada Hockey Moguls Unable To Meet On Saturday

Calgary, Aug. 27.—The meeting of the Western Canada Hockey League called for next Saturday has been postponed by President Richardson, due to the fact that some of the clubs could not be represented. The meeting will probably be held late in September.

THINKS GERTRUDE WILL SWIM CHANNEL IN RECORD TIME

Cape Gris Nez, Aug. 27.—Gertrude Ederle swam for two hours at top speed yesterday in preparation for her second channel attempt, scheduled for the last day of this month or early in September. She is training under "Old Bill" Burgess, who was the second to swim the channel, and now is in better physical condition than at any time since her arrival in Europe.

Burgess thinks she can swim the channel in two tides, leaving Gris Nez at 5 o'clock in the morning and reaching Dover before 5 p.m. Weather conditions are improving and seas calmer.

Lengthy Matches At Brookline To Find Out Semi-finalists

Three Matches Carried to Five Sets and One to Four; Very Keen Play

Brookline, Aug. 27.—One Australian and three American combinations entered the semi-final round of the national doubles championships on the turf courts of the Longwood Cricket Club yesterday. The quarter final matches yesterday saw the passing of the national singles champion and his youthful understudy, and the defeat of the sensational Texas combination of Robert and Thalhimer. The Australians, Gerald Patterson and John B. Hawkes, elevated themselves to the semi-final bracket by defeating Lott and Williams of Chicago, in a furious five-set match, after losing the first two sets to their youthful rivals, 6-8, 4-6, 5-3, 6-2, 6-2.

The defending champion, Robert G. and Howard O. Kinsey of San Francisco, took 3 hours 15 minutes to reach the semi-final bracket, winning a listless exhibition from Lewis N. White and Louis L. Thalhimer, 7-5, 10-8, 4-6, 2-5, 6-2.

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Short Prices Rule At Opening Day Of Colwood Race Meet

New System of Betting Fails to Meet With Approval of Fans; Large Crowd Attends

Old Style of Wagering Will be Used in Future; Fields Well-Matched

After having been in effect only one day the Australian system of betting will disappear at the Colwood track. A decision was reached last night by the directors to return to the old system of straight, place and show bets. The Premier totalizer was introduced at the mile track, at the opening day of the Colwood Racing Association's meet and it failed to meet with the approval of the racing followers. The biggest crowd that has attended a meet in Victoria this season was in attendance.

The disapproval was not on the system of betting but on the division of prices. In two cases horses that went to the post good long shots were rewarded with big dividends. The prices they anticipated. In the first race Carl Roberts paid only \$110 for a two-dollar bet, while in the fourth event Regal Lodge sprang a surprise, but returned only \$20.40 on nose bets. Most of the fans expected to see about \$40 go up on the board, to see about which caused dissatisfaction resulted from horses which came second paying prices not big enough to give people their money back. In the sixth race Lucky Cat came in third and only paid \$1.65 for show money.

By the old system, which will be used to-day, the totalizer will handle all the straight bets and the familiar tickets will be secured for place and show money.

GREENWOOD TAKES HONORS

The jockey honors went to C. Greenwood yesterday, who out of four mounts, brought home three winners. He was second in the first race when he romped home to victory ahead of a class of field. Inconceivable, while he was at the finish by head. The winner trotted the leaders until the home stretch, when he closed a big gap to beat out the favorite, who was second.

Quick, who was third, ran a creditable race. Al bumped right at Sancho Panza, just as the latter was about to throw his rider, R. Greenwood, overboard.

The closest finish of the day was witnessed in the second race, for Wood ridden by C. Greenwood, just nose out Sancho Panza at the line. Taking the rail from the start the winner held the lead, just as the latter was about to throw his rider, R. Greenwood, overboard.

Greenwood was second in the third race, when he was beaten by the favorite, who was second. In the fourth race, when he was beaten by the favorite, who was second.

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Greenwood was second in the thirteenth race, when he was beaten by the favorite, who was second. In the fourteenth race, when he was beaten by the favorite, who was second.

Greenwood was second in the fifteenth race, when he was beaten by the favorite, who was second. In the sixteenth race, when he was beaten by the favorite, who was second.

Greenwood was second in the seventeenth race, when he was beaten by the favorite, who was second. In the eighteenth race, when he was beaten by the favorite, who was second.

Greenwood was second in the nineteenth race, when he was beaten by the favorite, who was second. In the twentieth race, when he was beaten by the favorite, who was second.

Greenwood was second in the twenty-first race, when he was beaten by the favorite, who was second. In the twenty-second race, when he was beaten by the favorite, who was second.

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HELPING PIRATES



JOHNNY RAWLINGS

Here is Johnny Rawlings in the old Victoria Bees' uniform. John played with Victoria in the old Northwestern League and was sold to the majors. He was with New York Giants for a time and by his dashing dive made the name of the team famous. He was in the second game of the season when he was hit by a line drive from the Yankees in 1923. Rawlings is now playing second base for Pittsburgh, who seem certain of winning the National League this year.

Proctor Scores Fine Win in Semi-final of Clay Court Tourney

As a result of his victory over Gerald Cunningham yesterday afternoon by the scores of 6-2, 6-3, Johnny Proctor enters the finals of the men's singles in the Victoria clay court championships being played at the Kingston Street club. The game was played before a good crowd.

Both players were handicapped by strong wind, but Proctor's greater experience stood him in good stead. Proctor outplayed his opponent, having the match well in hand all the way. Proctor will meet D. M. Gordon in the final match for the championship.

HOW THEY STAND

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Washington	76	44	.533
Philadelphia	74	44	.527
Chicago	67	53	.559
St. Louis	63	58	.521
Detroit	60	60	.500
New York	58	62	.483
Cleveland	55	65	.458
Boston	35	85	.292

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Pittsburgh	72	46	.610
New York	64	56	.533
Chicago	64	56	.533
Brooklyn	58	61	.487
St. Louis	60	64	.484
Philadelphia	53	69	.434
Chicago	54	68	.443
Boston	54	68	.443

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
San Francisco	34	49	.407
Salt Lake	31	52	.375
Seattle	21	62	.256
Los Angeles	78	64	.553
Portland	69	72	.489
Oakland	62	82	.435
Vernon	54	89	.378
Sacramento	48	95	.336

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Baltimore	85	59	.592
Toronto	73	63	.537
Rochester	72	63	.533
Buffalo	69	71	.493
Reading	64	72	.471
Syracuse	62	76	.449
Jersey City	61	80	.435
Providence	51	84	.378

1. Miriam Wood (C. Greenwood), \$4.65; 2. Sancho Panza (Trimmer), \$3.60; 3. Zella (Zell), out; time, 1:15. Also ran: Mary Fuller, Eugenia K., Zelma Roberts and Mac O'Day.

Fourth race, claiming purse \$400; for three-year-olds and older, six furlongs: 1. Peg O' (C. Greenwood), 1:55; 2. Col. Snider (Broadfoot), \$1.60; 3. Pat Mayre (Moller), out; time, 1:55. Also ran: Green Mint, Romaldo, Tan H.

Fourth race, the Country Club Handicap, purse \$400; for three-year-olds and older, six furlongs: 1. Lucky Cat (Law), \$1.65; time, 1:54. 2. Black Cat (Greenwood), \$2.40; 3. Shady Brook (Broadfoot), \$4.75; 4. Hot Muffin, out; time, 1:54. 5. Also ran: Hanny, Broomfield, Pharaoh Ann.

Sixth race, claiming purse \$200; for three-year-olds and older, six furlongs: 1. Regal Lodge (Neal), \$20.40; 2. Bill Blackwell (C. Greenwood), \$2.40; 3. Lucky Cat (Law), \$1.65; time, 1:54. 4. Also ran: Pueblo, J. Rufus, Frank L. Raymond, Bradley, Clear the Way.

Seventh race, claiming purse \$200; for three-year-olds and older, six furlongs: 1. Carl Roberts (Neal), \$11.10; 1. Inconceivable (Broadfoot), \$2.40; 2. D. D. Quick (Law), \$1.65; time, 1:55. Also ran: Kitty Low, Al, Sir Walter Wood, Freddie Fear, King and Hindoo.

Second race, claiming purse \$400; for three-year-olds and older, six furlongs: 1. Carl Roberts (Neal), \$11.10; 1. Inconceivable (Broadfoot), \$2.40; 2. D. D. Quick (Law), \$1.65; time, 1:55. Also ran: Kitty Low, Al, Sir Walter Wood, Freddie Fear, King and Hindoo.

Third race, claiming purse \$200; for three-year-olds and older, six furlongs: 1. Carl Roberts (Neal), \$11.10; 1. Inconceivable (Broadfoot), \$2.40; 2. D. D. Quick (Law), \$1.65; time, 1:55. Also ran: Kitty Low, Al, Sir Walter Wood, Freddie Fear, King and Hindoo.

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Fifth race, claiming purse \$200; for three-year-olds and older, six furlongs: 1. Carl Roberts (Neal), \$11.10; 1. Inconceivable (Broadfoot), \$2.40; 2. D. D. Quick (Law), \$1.65; time, 1:55. Also ran: Kitty Low, Al, Sir Walter Wood, Freddie Fear, King and Hindoo.

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Eighth race, claiming purse \$200; for three-year-olds and older, six furlongs: 1. Carl Roberts (Neal), \$11.10; 1. Inconceivable (Broadfoot), \$2.40; 2. D. D. Quick (Law), \$1.65; time, 1:55. Also ran: Kitty Low, Al, Sir Walter Wood, Freddie Fear, King and Hindoo.

Ninth race, claiming purse \$20

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FIRST AID TO WOUNDED VANITY

Madge and Patricia arrived at the theatre only a few moments before the rise of the first curtain. The entire house was already seated and the boxes filled with the usual brilliant crowd that a "first-night" calls out.

While they waited for the usher to come to them, Madge glanced at her coupons and bit her lip savagely.
"Just my luck! Our seats are in the third row. We'll have to walk all the way down the aisle with everybody gazing. Two girls alone—and not a man between us!"

"What of it?" shrugged Patricia. "I've frequently come to the theatre alone at night. If there was something on I particularly wished to see."

"But you don't mind going anywhere alone. I do. I've always had at least half a dozen men waiting to take me to the same play. And now, just because I'm married—"

She followed the usher down the aisle, deliberately avoiding the eyes of acquaintances which turned to catch hers.

She even failed to note who was seated next to her until an amused, half-drawing voice said:
"Well, well, here's the blushing bride—and all by herself, too. Where's your bridegroom to-night—if it's not indiscreet to ask?"

She turned to find Stanley Cartwright surveying her with his bored, indifferent gaze, though a little flicker of humor lurked under the heavy lids.

"Oh, how do you do?" she greeted him brightly. "I didn't realize it was you next to me."

She leaned past him to the pretty woman in black on his left.
"It's nice to see you, Mrs. Cartwright. We rarely meet at night affairs."

Cartwright's wife extended her slim, cool hand.
"Thank you. I go out rarely at night because I'm frightened about leaving the children, even though I have an excellent nurse. Mr. Cartwright laughs at me, but I have a horror of fire or some calamity. Servants lose their heads so easily."

"She's a slave," shrugged Cartwright. "Best mother on earth, but a fool about those kids."

Madge turned to Patricia and touched her arm.
"You know Mr. and Mrs. Cartwright. Patricia inclined her head slightly to Cartwright, smiling pleasantly at his wife.

"We've met—briefly." Cartwright stared at Patricia with deliberately critical eyes. They had met once or twice and he was that she disliked him. He saw nothing in her himself. She wasn't his type. He preferred the orchid and Patricia was distinctly the white rose, or the camellia—cool, remote and fragrant, but unobtrusive, much like his wife.

He had to admit that she looked well that night, though. She, too, wore black, like his wife, but it was a cloudy, misty black, that seemed to swirl around her. Her shoulders rose from it, soft, with the sheen of a rose-petal. Not daintily white, like Madge's, but with a peachy transience that betokened the living flesh. Her head, with its dark, smoothly parted hair, was like a cameo.

His connoisseur's eyes wandered down her bare arm and dwelt approvingly on her hands—slim, flexible, with long, tapering white fingers and exquisite nails. He told himself that it wouldn't be so bad to kiss those hands, but her lips—He shivered involuntarily and said to himself: "Polite little piece of ice!"

For pleasant contrast, he turned back to Madge and looked down at her glowing, lovely face, her scarlet, provocative mouth.
"And where did you say hubby was? Does he seek the club so early in the game?"

She shrugged.
"How should I know where he is? He said he had to go to the hospital."

Cartwright drew back his head and laughed.
"Wise little bride! You can't fool 'em nowadays."

"Oh, I believe him really," she said conscientiously.
"For public admission, yes," Cartwright agreed, with an amused smile. "Well, I'll tell you—I believe him, too. No man could resist the chance to appear in public with such a beautiful creature in his company, unless some dire necessity called him elsewhere."

Madge shrugged and made a little scornful moue, but she was pleased, nevertheless.
Cartwright's careless, trite little speech resuscitated her wounded vanity.

He saw it and plied her with pretty compliments all the evening, finding a refreshing diversion in her almost childish acceptance of them.

It was the first thing she remembered when she awoke the next morning. She assured herself that men still found her charming even if she was married.

A HUMBLE WORSHIPPER
Lila lay face downward in her little white bed at the convent school, elbows propped on the pillow, her chin framed in her hands, reading an illustrated society weekly. Half covering it was a copy of Vergil's Aeneid—just in case one of the good Sisters should come in without knocking.

The rapidly type of literature which Lila's magazine represented was forbidden at the school and its presence would have caused shock and condemnation to a devout and pious faculty.

Lila was one of the few pupils who was able to smuggle in the contraband. Her ability increased her popularity a thousandfold. During the recreation hour, after study, every evening, giggling young things slipped into her room and pored over the pages, while by turns one of the number stood guard, near the door to give a warning "ash" at the approach of a Sister.

When this occurred, the book was promptly popped under the pillow and a demure circle of chatting girls greeted the intruder with wide, innocent eyes.

It was stories and picture of her sister Madge that Lila liked best to present to her classmates. There was scarcely a copy of the society periodical that did not contain some reference to the sister Lila worshipped.

Madge was more popular than Winter than ever—which, after all, said a great deal. Her coming and going were faithfully recorded by society editors. Her gowns were described, her entertainments lavishly written up. There were photographs of her at fancy dress balls, wearing a gorgeous peacock gown. News snapshots showed her on horseback in the park. She was photographed in the snappy, little, crimson roadster that she drove at reckless speed around town; in a daring bathing suit on the sands at Palm Beach during the season; in golfing costume on the links at White Sulphur Springs.

Lila's classmates were wide-eyed with admiration. They regarded Lila almost with awe, because of her relationship with this lovely and dashing creature who represented the ideal of every feminine heart at the school girl age.

"Oh, why wasn't I born with looks like that?" one snub-nosed, freckled little girl used to wail. "It isn't fair for some girls to have everything. If my picture ever got in the paper, it'd be on the funny page."

"I'm going to be like her," Lila declared. "I know I'm not pretty, but maybe I can learn to do things like Madge. She sings and dances and rides and plays the piano, all divinely. There isn't anything she

can't do, I honestly believe. Grandmother says she thinks all the gods must have met before Madge was born, like the fairies did for the little princess in the old story, and decided to give Madge everything to make her a perfect being."

"Oh, you give me a pain!" Lila's roommate drawled. "I hear nothing but Madge. Madge, Madge, from morning till night. For Heaven's sake, aren't we ever going to see this paragon? Why doesn't she come sometimes on visitors' day? It's only two hours ride out here."

Lila winced. It was a constant source of hurt to her that Madge had never been sufficiently interested to come to see her young sister. She would have given all she possessed to be able to exhibit her, beautiful, radiant, smart, as she always was to her little admiring crowd of intimates.

But Madge was too busy to come. Sometimes she remembered to send chocolates and once or twice a bit of lace and silk trumperies which Lila displayed for weeks thereafter.

Madge's careless remembrance gave her an inspiration, too, and later, when Mrs. Demerest, or some friend, sent her a gift, she always

gave the impression, without actual prevarication, that the present came from Madge.

On this particular evening, when she lay on the bed, absorbing the latest copy of the society periodical that recorded Madge's activities—a copy which she had bribed the laundress to buy for her—her roommate came sauntering into the room, eating an apple.

Lila's hasty attempt to hide the book at the opening of the door was quickly arrested.

"Oh, it's only you! Goodness you gave me a scare! Why don't you remember to give our special knock?"

"Couldn't—too busy with the apple. Want a bite?"

"Certainly not," Lila replied loftily. "I don't want to get fat. I wish I was as thin as Madge. Then I wouldn't have to worry about what I ate. See, isn't this a heavenly picture of her?"

"Madge again?" her roommate inquired with raised brows, but nevertheless she sauntered over to the bed and glanced casually at the page Lila lifted for her inspection.

"Who's the man?" she asked with quickened interest.

"I don't know," Lila's brows drew

together. "It says underneath the picture."

"Mrs. Paul Bonham with Mr. Stanley Cartwright on the sands at Miami. These two prominent members of society have started the smart colony with their extraordinary aquatic stunts. Both are superb swimmers who delight the eye of the less daring beach fans."

"I never heard of him, did you?"

"You don't have," the other returned with vigor. "Stan Cartwright used to rush my sister—until my Dad found out—and then what a row in my family! He's married, you know, and Dad says he's a rotter. See here, if that's the sort your sister plays with, she must be some sport."

Lila looked at her for a moment, white with rage. "I'll never speak to you again as long as I live," she said distinctly.

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SOON THE FAMILY WAS AS BADLY OFF AS EVER AND ONE NIGHT THEY HEARD THEIR STEPMOTHER PERSUADING HER HUSBAND TO TAKE THEM INTO THE WOODS AGAIN. HE WOULD NOT AGREE BUT THE WIFE SCOLDING UNTIL HE GAVE IN A SECOND TIME.

HANSEL AND GRETEL IV



AS SOON AS THE PEOPLE WERE ASLEEP HANSEL STOLE TO THE DOOR AGAIN MEANING TO COLLECT PEBBLES AS HE HAD DONE BEFORE BUT THE DOOR WAS LOCKED AND HE COULDN'T GET OUT.



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by W.J. ENRIGHT.



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